MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2018

FIFTIETH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 5:00 p.m. and was called to order by Madam Speaker Harwell.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Pastor Greg Askew, Jubilee Church of God in Christ, Memphis, TN.

Representative Parkinson led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:
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Representatives present were Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moon, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 96

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following member has been excused, pursuant to request under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Littleton; illness

PRESENT IN CHAMBER

Reps. DeBerry and Moody were recorded as being present in the Chamber.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Joint Resolution No. 731 Rep. Clemmons as prime sponsor.

House Joint Resolution No. 735 Reps. Williams and Byrd as prime sponsors.

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House Bill No. 15 Rep. Harwell as Second prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 15 Reps. Moon, Alexander, Sherrell, Moody, Powers, Forgety, Eldridge, Zachary, Crawford, Windle, Faison, Casada, Love, Lamberth, Lollar, Rogers, Powell, Johnson, Lynn, Dunn, Gravitt, Terry, Gilmore, Ragan, Byrd, J. Sexton, Sanderson, Ramsey, Coley, Kane, Stewart, Keisling, Calfee, Camper, Thompson, Boyd, Travis, Hardaway, Turner, Holsclaw, Howell, Curcio, T. Hill, Vaughan, K. Brooks, Tillis, Hawk, Parkinson, M. White, Wirgau, Butt, Carter, D. White, Hicks, Akbari, Shaw, Sargent, Rudd, Halford, Hazlewood, Miller, H. Brooks, Weaver, Fitzhugh and Kumar as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 222 Reps. Sherrell, Powers and Lynn as prime sponsors.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 2, 2018

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 636, 637, 638, 639, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654 and 656; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK February 2, 2018

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 636, 637, 638, 639, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654 and 656; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE February 5, 2018

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution No. 538; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Joint Resolution No. 538 -- Memorials, Public Service - Dr. Scott Standard. by *Dickerson.

PERSONAL ORDERS

RECOGNITION IN THE WELL

Representative Eldridge was recognized in the Well to present the Vietnam Color Guard.

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INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

On motion, pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions listed were introduced and referred to the appropriate Committee:

*House Joint Resolution No. 729 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Recognizes Jerusalem as the capital of the State of Israel. by *VanHuss, *Moon, *Hulsey, *Crawford, *Hill T, *Hill M.

House State Government Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 730 -- Memorials, Congress - Supports states' primacy in legalizing and regulating medical cannabis. by *Powell.

House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 732 -- General Assembly, Studies - Creates special joint committee to study Tennessee's long-term transportation infrastructure needs and funding. by *Clemmons.

House Transportation Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 734 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Robert S. Eby, State Board of Education. by *Calfee.

House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 738 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Randle Fenimore, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. by *Harwell, *McDaniel.

House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 739 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - William L. Campbell, Sr., State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. by *Harwell, *Casada.

House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 740 -- Constitutional Amendments - Proposes amendment to prohibit the general assembly from levying a state tax on real property and to remove provisions authorizing the general assembly to tax certain tangible personal property. by *White D, *Goins.

House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 741 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Expresses strong support for President Trump's proposal to construct a secure border wall and urges Congress to immediately take action to fund the construction. by *White D.

House State Government Committee

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*House Joint Resolution No. 742 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Authorizes the governor to do all that is necessary and appropriate to expand enrollment in Tennessee's Medicaid program by means of the Insure Tennessee proposal. by *Stewart.

House Insurance and Banking Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 743 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Supports making affordable housing a national priority; urges local governments to decrease regulation of new housing market to decrease regulatory costs. by *Sparks.

House Local Government Committee

*House Joint Resolution No. 744 -- Constitutional Amendments - Proposes an amendment to Article I, Section 26, to clarify that citizens of this state have a right to keep and bear arms for their common defense because it is necessary to the security of a free state. by *Reedy.

House Civil Justice Committee

RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions were introduced and placed on the Consent Calendar for February 7, 2018:

House Resolution No. 196 -- Memorials, Recognition - Griffin Boyte. by *Halford.

House Joint Resolution No. 745 -- Memorials, Recognition - Eric Hicks. by *Harwell, *Wirgau.

House Joint Resolution No. 746 -- Memorials, Recognition - Tennessee Mining Association, 10th anniversary. by *Keisling.

House Joint Resolution No. 747 -- Memorials, Recognition - Matthew Russell. by *Keisling.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS (Congratulatory and Memorializing)

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the resolution listed was noted as being placed on the Consent Calendar for February 7, 2018:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 477 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Horace Michael Shultz, Jr., Phi Theta Kappa All-Tennessee Academic Team Nominee. by *Southerland.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion, the following bills passed first consideration:

- *House Bill No. 2322 -- Salaries and Benefits As introduced, enacts the "Transparency in School Employee Salary Act" to require online publication of salary information for employees of public schools, charter schools, charter school authorizers, and local education agencies. Amends TCA Title 10 and Title 49. by *Sparks.
- *House Bill No. 2323 -- Sexual Offenders As introduced, allows a sexual offender whose victim was a minor to obtain sexual offender treatment in a location that is within 1,000 feet of a school, child care facility, public park, playground, recreation center, or public athletic field. Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 39, Part 2. by *Goins.
- *House Bill No. 2324 -- Local Education Agencies As introduced, changes the manner for which LEAs using the uniform grading system for lottery scholarship purposes, but another grading system based on quality points for other purposes, must award additional quality points for honors and other advanced courses. Amends TCA Section 49-6-407. by *Goins.
- *House Bill No. 2325 -- Public Employees As introduced, requires the district attorneys general conference to report to the general assembly in January of each year with recommendations on combating opiate abuse, including recommended legislation to address law enforcement concerns raised by opioid abuse. Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 16. by *Keisling.
- *House Bill No. 2326 -- Economic and Community Development, Dept. of As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Rural Hospital Transformation Act of 2018." Amends TCA Title 4; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Keisling.
- *House Bill No. 2327 -- Tobacco, Tobacco Products As introduced, designates "hotels", "parks", "public property", "age-restricted venues", and "private clubs" as local government exemptions to state tobacco products preemption law; allows local governments to regulate smoking in those areas. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15 and Title 39, Chapter 17. by *Ramsey.
- *House Bill No. 2328 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) As introduced, with certain exceptions, continues permanent rules filed with the secretary of state on or after January 1, 2017; prohibits the department of children's services from creating a process whereby a person determined to be a perpetrator of child abuse or neglect may have their substantiations reviewed as authorized under Rule 0250-07-09-.12. Title 4, Chapter 5. by *Faison.
- **House Bill No. 2329** -- Sunset Laws As introduced, imposes deadline by which beauty pageant operators must refund pageant entrants' fees when such pageants are canceled or otherwise do not take place. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2; Title 47, Chapter 18, Part 2 and Section 67-6-330. by *Faison.
- *House Bill No. 2330 -- Students As introduced, prohibits the use of corporal punishment against a student with a disability who has an IEP or a Section 504 plan. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Powell.

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- **House Bill No. 2331** -- Local Education Agencies As introduced, requires each LEA to submit annually a report to the department of education detailing the LEA's use of corporal punishment; requires the department of education to report the number of instances of corporal punishment on its website. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Powell.
- **House Bill No. 2332** -- Redistricting, Legislative As introduced, imposes public notice and public input requirements on a redistricting committee and upon consideration of a final redistricting plan. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 16, Part 1 and Title 3. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2333 -- Workers Compensation As introduced, prohibits retaliatory discharge by employer or other person for conduct relating to filing a workers' compensation claim; authorizes an action by the employee as a remedy. Amends TCA Title 50. by *Cooper, *Coley, *Staples, *Akbari, *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2334 -- Salaries and Benefits As introduced, creates a cause of action against an employer who fails to pay wages to an employee in accordance with statute. Amends TCA Title 50. by *Cooper, *Coley, *Staples, *Akbari, *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2335 -- Schools, Charter As introduced, enacts the "Transparency in Charter School Finance Act." Amends TCA Title 49. by *Cooper, *Staples, *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2336 -- Correction, Dept. of As introduced, requires the commissioner to develop and administer a confidential annual survey of correction officers who leave service as correction officers in order to examine factors in retention of correction officers; requires an annual report to the governor and the general assembly on or before December 1. Amends TCA Title 41. by *Cooper, *Coley, *Staples, *Akbari, *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2337 -- Taxes, Real Property As introduced, requires that a motion to claim excess tax sale proceeds be served upon "all interested persons" rather than "the parties"; revises other provisions governing notice and publication of delinquent tax sales. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2338 -- Local Government, General As introduced, deletes provisions requiring each commissioner of a municipal utility board to obtain 12 hours of training and continuing education within 12 months of appointment or election, or reappointment or reelection, to the board, and every three years thereafter beginning January 1 after the calendar year in which the commissioner met the initial training and continuing education requirements. Amends TCA Section 7-34-115. by *Sanderson.
- **House Bill No. 2339** -- Obion County Subject to local approval, clarifies that the proceeds from the hotel/motel taxes in Obion County that currently go to Reelfoot Lake Tourism shall now be deposited in the general fund. Amends Chapter 133 of the Private Acts of 1991. by *Sanderson.
- *House Bill No. 2340 -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, authorizes the permit issued for overweight or overdimensional loads covering the operation of multiple vehicles transporting such loads, instead of covering each specific vehicle transporting such loads. Amends TCA Section 55-7-205. by *Sanderson.

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House Bill No. 2341 -- Obion County - As introduced, removes the restriction on the use of the revenue from the hotel occupancy tax in Obion County. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 2342 -- Advertising - As introduced, requires the commissioner of transportation to process an application for a billboard permit within 180 days, instead of using best efforts to process the application within such time period; allows commissioner to provide applicants with an application timeline. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 21. by *Sanderson.

*House Bill No. 2343 -- Lobbying, Lobbyists - As introduced, requires executive branch employees who engage in lobbying legislative branch officials to register with the ethics commission but not pay any registration fees or the privilege tax associated with being a lobbyist. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 6, Part 3. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 2344 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, authorizes a local law enforcement agency to elect to participate in the state retirement system independently of its local governing body. - Amends TCA Section 8-35-201. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 2345 -- Industrial Development - As introduced, authorizes Dyer County and any city or town within Dyer County to acquire property by eminent domain for public use for purposes of developing industrial parks. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 16 and Section 29-17-102. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 2346 -- Local Government, General - As introduced, clarifies that a county and city may enter into an interlocal agreement for purposes of collecting and remitting business license fees. - Amends TCA Section 5-1-113. by *Sanderson.

House Bill No. 2347 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, requires the commerce and labor committee of the senate, the insurance and banking committee of the house of representatives, and the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and the house of representatives to recommend any necessary changes to the Access Tennessee Act of 2006 by February 1 after conducting the committees' annual review of the act. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 9; Title 33; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Williams.

*House Bill No. 2348 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, requires a prescriber who prescribes more than a five-day supply of opioids to a non-pregnant fertile woman to inform the patient about the risk of fetal injury and neonatal abstinence syndrome in the event of pregnancy; encourages prescribers to recommend and assist with the implementation of birth control methods for such patients. - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63. by *Williams.

*House Bill No. 2349 -- Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, urges department of transportation to study total annual amount of municipal street aid funds used by municipalities over last five fiscal years to fund mass transit, including the use of any funds that impact state highways; requires department to report findings and recommendations to the finance, ways and means committees of senate and house of representatives, transportation and safety committee of senate, and transportation committee of house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Hawk.

- *House Bill No. 2350 -- Planning, Public As introduced, authorizes the City of Cleveland to participate in the Tennessee local land bank program. Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 30. by *Brooks K.
- *House Bill No. 2351 -- County Government As introduced, extends, from seven to ten business days, the time period in which the comptroller of the treasury has to report the comptroller's approval or disapproval of a continuing budget extension request to the county making such request. Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 12. by *Brooks K.
- **House Bill No. 2352** -- Judges and Chancellors As introduced, authorizes former Tennessee justice or judge who has practiced law for at least 25 years and who has at least one year of service as justice or judge to be designated as senior justice or judge; requires appointments and renewals of senior judges to be approved by joint meeting of senate judiciary committee and civil and criminal justice committees of the house of representatives. Amends TCA Title 2 and Title 17. by *Hill T, *Casada.
- *House Bill No. 2353 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies As introduced, enacts the "Network Adequacy and Out-of-Network Balance Billing Transparency Act." Amends TCA Title 56; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Hill T.
- *House Bill No. 2354 -- Physicians and Surgeons As introduced, requires the comptroller of the treasury to study the costs imposed on physicians by maintenance of certification requirements, how those costs affect the cost of healthcare services in this state, and what benefit, if any, healthcare consumers receive from such requirements; requires the comptroller to report the results of this study, along with any recommendations, to the health committee of the house of representatives and the senate health and welfare committee no later than January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 33; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Terry.
- **House Bill No. 2355** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies As introduced, authorizes the commissioner of commerce and insurance to make available to healthcare providers on the department's website any prescribed claim form for reporting by healthcare providers. Amends TCA Title 8; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Terry.
- *House Bill No. 2356 -- Taxes, Real Property As introduced, increases from 10 to 12 years the minimum time for which the assessor of property must retain records of the county board of equalization. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Matlock.
- *House Bill No. 2357 -- Education As introduced, requires use of certain definitions of anti-Semitism and provides examples of anti-Semitism to be used in determinations of violations of K-12 or postsecondary educational policies prohibiting discrimination based on Jewish ancestry or ethnic characteristics. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Matheny.
- *House Bill No. 2358 -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, removes duplicate definition for a premier type tourist resort. Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4. by *Matheny.
- **House Bill No. 2359** -- Wine & Wineries As introduced, permits a winery or farm wine producer that manufactures, or produces, as applicable, 50,000 gallons or less of wine in a year and that operates a satellite facility to directly supply the satellite facility with wine, without obtaining the wine from a wholesaler; clarifies that wholesalers may permit wineries and farm wine producers to transport their own products for retail sale. Amends TCA Section 57-3-207. by *Hawk, *Ramsey, *Sanderson.

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*House Bill No. 2360 -- Health, Dept. of - As introduced, directs the commissioner to provide a report of suggested legislative changes to the Post-Mortem Examination Act to the health committees of the senate and the house of representatives, the judiciary committee of the senate, and the criminal justice committee of the house of representatives by February 1, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 7, Part 1. by *Smith.

*House Bill No. 2361 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, urges the department of general services to submit a report to the transportation committee of the house of representatives and the transportation and safety committee of the senate that contains the number of purchases and leases of government-owned or -operated vehicles capable of using alternative fuel; the number of conversions of such vehicles from the use of gasoline or diesel fuel to the use of alternative fuel; and the quantity of each type of alternative fuel used. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Smith.

*House Bill No. 2362 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts - As introduced, removes the requirement that each metropolitan planning organization's policy board ensures that the votes for any local government official be equally weighted and not based on population. - Amends TCA Section 64-8-301. by *Wirgau.

*House Bill No. 2363 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, changes from five business days to five days the amount of time within which an institution receiving optional expedited authorization must notify the Tennessee Higher Education Commission of actions involving the institution's accreditation status, legal actions, utilization of a letter of credit or cash management agreement, or a public announcement of an investigation involving the institution. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Lynn.

*House Bill No. 2364 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, changes the venue for judicial review of administrative orders from the chancery court in Davidson County to the chancery court in Williamson County. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 9; Title 27; Title 29; Title 33; Title 36; Title 37; Title 39; Title 40; Title 42; Title 43; Title 44; Title 47; Title 48; Title 49; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 57; Title 59; Title 60; Title 61; Title 62; Title 63; Title 65; Title 67; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 71. by *Lynn.

House Bill No. 2365 -- Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, removes authorization to transfer certain duties of the county mayor to certain water and wastewater treatment authorities. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 6, Part 1; Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 13 and Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 6. by *Lynn.

*House Bill No. 2366 -- Taxes, Gasoline, Petroleum Products - As introduced, requires distributors of liquefied petroleum gas to collect a per-gallon assessment from dealers who purchase propane and other liquefied petroleum gas from the distributor. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 3. by *Lynn.

House Bill No. 2367 -- Taxes, Business - As introduced, under certain circumstances, excludes from definition of "sale" in Business Tax Act transfers of services or tangible personal property from advertising agency to client of advertising agency. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 7. by *Lynn.

- *House Bill No. 2368 -- Local Education Agencies As introduced, enacts the "National Motto in the Classroom Act," which requires each local education agency to display the national motto, "In God We Trust," in a prominent location in each school. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Lynn.
- *House Bill No. 2369 -- Election Laws As introduced, expands notice period for posting calendars of gubernatorial candidate appearances by the state executive committees, from 15 days to 21 calendar days prior to the primary elections. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Van Huss.
- *House Bill No. 2370 -- Firearms and Ammunition As introduced, authorizes an individual, business entity, or government entity to allow the concealed carry of handguns by handgun carry permit holders on the individual's or entity's property while prohibiting other weapons or the open carry of firearms; establishes posting requirements for "concealed firearms only" signage. Amends TCA Section 39-17-1359. by *Van Huss.
- **House Bill No. 2371** -- State Government As introduced, replaces the secretary of state and department of state with the commissioner of tourist development and department of tourist development on the Tennessee sports hall of fame board of directors and executive committee. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 54. by *Brooks K, *Forgety, *Howell.
- **House Bill No. 2372** -- Election Laws As introduced, lengthens voter registration period to 15 days before an election instead of 30 days before an election. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Powell.
- **House Bill No. 2373** -- Banks and Financial Institutions As introduced, reduces, from three years to one year, the period of time a security device submitted by a licensee conducting money transmission operations must remain in place after the licensee ceases operations in Tennessee. Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 7, Part 2. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2374 -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, extends, from 10 to 15 days, the period of time within which a Model 2 seller must correct an error in its certified automated system used to determine tax due on its sales and leases in order to be exempt from additional tax liability. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Powell.
- *House Bill No. 2375 -- Health Care As introduced, changes the minimum age for taking an examination for a podiatrist license from 18 to 24. Amends TCA Title 34; Title 37; Title 39; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Hill M, *Van Huss, *DeBerry, *Zachary, *Sherrell, *Matlock, *Boyd, *Hawk, *Tillis.
- *House Bill No. 2376 -- Education As introduced, requires the department of education to transmit its model policy for alternatives to exclusionary discipline practices for students in pre-kindergarten and kindergarten by email to the chairs of the education committees of the senate and the house of representatives when the department disseminates the model policy to the LEAs. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 34 and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 40. by *Hicks.
- *House Bill No. 2377 -- State Symbols As introduced, designates Knight Muzzleloader as official state muzzleloader. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1, Part 3. by *Sexton J.

*House Bill No. 2378 -- Juries and Jurors - As introduced, requires a court, upon the request of a criminal defendant, to instruct the jury that although the state may prove a case beyond a reasonable doubt the jury may still find the defendant not guilty in order to avoid an unjust result. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2379 -- TennCare - As introduced, prohibits the bureau of TennCare from including any drug containing oxycodone on any formulary or preferred drug list maintained for the Medicaid program; requires any drugs containing oxycodone to be removed from the formularies or lists within 90 days of the effective date of this act. - Amends TCA Title 71. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2380 -- Telecommunications - As introduced, creates a credit against sales or use taxes for providers of cellular phone services that build cellular towers in certain unserved areas. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 65 and Title 67. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2381 -- Memorials, Recognition - As introduced, requires the state capitol commission to develop and implement a plan for the commissioning of the Tennessee Monument to Unborn Children; requires that the monument be funded by non-state sources and placed on the capitol grounds upon completion. - Amends TCA Title 4. by *Sexton J.

House Bill No. 2382 -- Disabled Persons - As introduced, expands eligibility for sport hunting licenses to include disabled persons who hunt big game with an air bow. - Amends TCA Title 70. by *Sexton J.

*House Bill No. 2383 -- Students - As introduced, requires schools to count a student present when the student visits an institution of higher education as a prospective enrollee; requires that the student not be counted as absent, either excused or unexcused; requires local boards of education to adopt policies concerning crediting students present for visits to institutions of higher education as prospective enrollees. - Amends TCA Section 49-6-3018. by *Crawford.

*House Bill No. 2384 -- Taxes - As introduced, urges department of revenue, in consultation with department of tourist development, to study annual amounts of revenue from sales taxes and liquor-by-the-drink taxes generated over last five years from professional sporting events; requires department to submit its findings and recommendations within 90 days from conclusion of study to finance, ways and means committees of house of representatives and senate. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 11; Title 57 and Title 67. by *Crawford.

*House Bill No. 2385 -- County Government - As introduced, removes certain counties, including Houston, Stewart, Montgomery, Davidson, Moore, and Trousdale counties, from provisions requiring county officers to remit certain fees, commissions, charges, and other amounts to the county trustee twice per year, on September 1 and April 1. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 22. by *Eldridge.

*House Bill No. 2386 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, requires venue for appeals of contested case hearings be in chancery court nearest to the place of residence of the person contesting the agency action, chancery court nearest to the place the cause of action arose, or any court having subject matter jurisdiction. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5, Part 3. by *Daniel.

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House Bill No. 2387 -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, requires the division of consumer affairs of the department of commerce and insurance to study the consumer protection needs of the state and report its findings to the commerce and labor committee of the senate and the consumer and human resources committee of the house of representatives; requires the division to report its findings no later than January 15, 2019, and include recommendations for changes to existing law. - Amends TCA Title 47. by *Staples.

House Bill No. 2388 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, exempts facilities that are exclusively devoted to the practice of ophthalmology from the certificate of need requirement. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 16. by *Johnson, *Harwell.

House Bill No. 2389 -- Victims' Rights - As introduced, adds immediate family members as persons that a victim of a crime may have present during a defense interview with the victim. - Amends TCA Section 40-38-115. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2390 -- General Assembly - As introduced, increases monthly expense allowance used to defray expenses necessitated in connection with a member's official duties when away from the seat of government from \$1,000 to \$2,000. - Amends TCA Section 3-1-106. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2391 -- Election Laws - As introduced, adds an advisory question to the November 2018 general election, "Should the Tennessee legislature approve the use of medical marijuana?" - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2392 -- Employees, Employers - As introduced, rewrites the Healthy Workplace Act to designate certain acts of harassment, intimidation, or bullying as unlawful employment practices and to require employers to adopt policies prohibiting those acts of harassment, intimidation, or bullying. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21; Title 39 and Title 50, Chapter 1. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2393 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates Class A misdemeanor offense for owner of a firearm to fail to report to law enforcement within five days any knowledge or reasonable cause to believe the theft of the owner's firearm has occurred. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 1, Part 1; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13 and Title 40. by *Miller.

House Bill No. 2394 -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, clarifies that the primary duty of a conservator of the peace during unlawful assemblies, riots, or other breaches of the peace is to protect the lives and property of citizens and prohibits a local governmental official from issuing any order or directive that would prevent or hinder a law enforcement officer from protecting property and lives during those times. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 20, Part 2 and Title 38, Chapter 3, Part 1. by *Rogers.

House Bill No. 2395 -- Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, requires that any real property tax rate increase be passed at a minimum of two consecutive, regularly scheduled meetings; requires a two-thirds vote for property tax increases of 5 percent or greater; authorizes referendum on the question of a property tax rate increase of 5 percent or greater if the tax increase is not approved by a two-thirds vote of the local legislative body. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Rogers.

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*House Bill No. 2396 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, authorizes nonprofit dental service plan corporations to provide plans for vision services as well as dental services under certain conditions. - Amends amend TCA Title 56. by *Sargent.

House Bill No. 2397 -- TennCare - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare to report on the number of individuals receiving care for which hospitals receive funding from demonstration supplemental payment and uncompensated care pools established through the TennCare II waiver; requires that the report be delivered to the health committee of the house of representatives and the senate health and welfare committee no later than January 15, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 33; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Travis.

House Bill No. 2398 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, authorizes a financial institution that receives a tax credit for providing grants or low-rate loans to certain housing entities to carry the unused portion of the credit forward to future tax years for up to 15 years. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 21. by *Travis, *Sexton C.

*House Bill No. 2399 -- Commerce and Insurance, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner to annually report the number of incidents of unfair trade practices from the previous calendar year that resulted in the levy of a civil penalty or the revocation of a license to the insurance and banking committee of the house of representatives and the senate commerce and labor committee. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Travis.

House Bill No. 2400 -- TennCare - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare to study issues relating to home visitation services for the families of babies with neo-natal abstinence syndrome and to report to the health committee of the house of representatives and the senate health and welfare committee by January 15, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Stewart.

*House Bill No. 2401 -- Traffic Safety - As introduced, establishes a maximum amount of revenue to be received by local governments for collection of traffic fines; sets maximum at 15 percent of total revenue of local government; requires excess revenue be transferred to the state general fund. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 16 and Title 55. by *Thompson.

House Bill No. 2402 -- Commerce and Insurance, Dept. of - As introduced, requires the commissioner to prepare a report outlining existing laws that establish fair debt buying practices in this state, if any, and transmit the report electronically to the governor and each member of the general assembly no later than December 31, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 45 and Title 47. by *Thompson.

*House Bill No. 2403 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, clarifies that court clerks must forward to the TBI within 45 calendar days a copy of the judgment against a person convicted of an offense that makes the person eligible for the drug offender registry. - Amends TCA Title 21, Chapter 2; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4; Title 53 and Title 63. by *Thompson.

House Bill No. 2404 -- Domestic Violence - As introduced, requires rather than authorizes a sentencing judge to order a person committing domestic assault to complete a drug or alcohol treatment program or an available counseling program as part of the sentence. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1. by *Thompson.

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- *House Bill No. 2405 -- Telecommunications As introduced, creates a task force of the general assembly to study the effects of overturning the FCC's net neutrality rules. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 10; Title 12; Title 65; Title 67 and Title 68. by *Thompson.
- **House Bill No. 2406** -- Election Laws As introduced, requires a court to impose an additional \$5,000 fine for a conviction for certain prohibited election practices. Amends TCA Title 2 and Title 40. by *Thompson.
- *House Bill No. 2407 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits As introduced, disallows industrial machinery franchise and excise tax credit if taxpayer's investment in industrial machinery results in a net loss of full-time employees for the taxpayer. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Thompson.
- **House Bill No. 2408** -- Juvenile Offenders As introduced, prohibits a court from requiring an appearance bond for any juvenile released after being taking into custody for a delinquent or unruly act. Amends TCA Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Thompson.
- House Bill No. 2409 -- Public Contracts As introduced, requires state departments and agencies that propose to contract for services with a nongovernmental vendor to certify to the comptroller of the treasury that no state employee or employees within the respective department or agency are qualified to perform the duties and obligations under the proposed contract; authorizes the fiscal review committee to review and comment upon such contracts. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 12. by *Thompson.
- **House Bill No. 2410** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, increases the penalty for reckless endangerment by discharging a firearm from within a motor vehicle from a Class E felony to a Class C felony. Amends TCA Section 39-13-103. by *Thompson.
- *House Bill No. 2411 -- Workers Compensation As introduced, prohibits retaliatory discharge of employees under the Tennessee workers' compensation law under certain circumstances; prescribes certain damages available to prevailing plaintiffs under retaliatory discharge claims. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8 and Title 50. by *Thompson.
- **House Bill No. 2412** -- Professions and Occupations As introduced, establishes a medical hardship exemption to the requirement that certain licensed professionals who are delinquent or in default on student loan payments have their licenses revoked. Amends TCA Title 3; Title 23; Title 49; Title 56 and Title 63. by *Lollar.
- *House Bill No. 2413 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits As introduced, prohibits public employers from reducing the health benefits for a retired employee below the level offered to retired employees at the time of the employee's retirement. Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9 and Title 56. by *Cooper, *Hardaway.
- *House Bill No. 2414 -- Driver Licenses As introduced, requires that offenders' community reentry programs include ability to obtain a 12-month deferral of fines and costs for traffic offenses and a restricted driver license for work only. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 16; Title 18; Title 28; Title 33; Title 40; Title 41 and Title 55. by *Cooper, *Hardaway.

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- *House Bill No. 2415 -- Education, Dept. of As introduced, requires all teachers in the ASD to successfully complete an annual course on behavioral issues of students; bars the LEA and teacher from bearing the cost of any services provided to the student. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1. by *Cooper, *Hardaway.
- *House Bill No. 2416 -- Salaries and Benefits As introduced, creates a private right of action against any employer for a violation concerning the distribution of mandatory service charges or gratuities to employees. Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 2. by *Cooper.
- **House Bill No. 2417** -- Courts As introduced, authorizes the creation of first responder treatment court programs; creates a \$50.00 fee for drug-related criminal convictions in counties establishing or operating a first responder treatment court program. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 21, Part 4 and Title 16. by *Hardaway.
- **House Bill No. 2418** -- Driver Licenses As introduced, removes authorization to suspend, restrict, or revoke driver licenses for nonpayment of fines, court costs, and litigation taxes for driving offenses, upon proof of inability to pay. Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 5, Part 7; Title 40, Chapter 24 and Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Hardaway.
- **House Bill No. 2419** -- Local Government, General As introduced, requires the comptroller of the treasury to study the feasibility of an enterprise zone pilot project in Shelby County and to report findings and recommendations to the general assembly no later than July 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 13; Title 63; Title 66; Title 67; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Hardaway.
- *House Bill No. 2420 -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, designates the Granville Resort and Marina in the city of Granville as a premier type tourist resort for the purposes of onpremises consumption of alcoholic beverages. Amends TCA Section 57-4-102. by *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2421 -- Taxes, Privilege As introduced, reduces professional privilege taxes by 50 percent for taxpayers on active status and by 75 percent for taxpayers on inactive status. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 17. by *Vaughan.
- **House Bill No. 2422** -- Local Education Agencies As introduced, deletes the requirement that local school systems must sell all surplus property within 90 days of its being declared surplus; revises the advertising requirements for local school systems selling surplus property. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2423** -- Planning, Public As introduced, extends application of the Neighborhood Preservation Act to include any county or municipality that has formed a land bank. Amends TCA Title 13 and Title 67. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2424** -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, upon approval of the retail sale of wine on Sundays, remits the retail gallonage tax from Sunday sales to a newly created low income children pre-kindergarten scholarship fund; upon such approval, requires the department of education to use money in the fund to establish a scholarship program to provide access to pre-kindergarten to children from low income families. Amends TCA Title 49; Title 57, Chapter 3; Title 57, Chapter 4 and Title 57, Chapter 5. by *White M.

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- *House Bill No. 2425 -- Schools, Charter As introduced, specifies that an LEA's failure to timely provide student information requested by a chartering authority or a public charter school may result in the department withholding an amount from the LEA's future distributions of state funds. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2426** -- Education As introduced, requires driver education courses to include an area of instruction on the impact of talking and texting on a mobile phone on a student's driving abilities. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 49. by *White M.
- *House Bill No. 2427 -- Taxes, Business As introduced, extends the business tax exemption under present law for providing mental or behavioral health services to providers of foster care, therapeutic and rehabilitative care, residential treatment, and other social assistance programs. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 7. by *White M.
- *House Bill No. 2428 -- Juvenile Offenders As introduced, authorizes a law enforcement officer to transport any juvenile taken into custody to a juvenile assessment center, unless the child is in custody for certain offenses. Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2429** -- Education, Higher As introduced, exempts certain students from paying out-of-state tuition at state institutions of higher education. Amends TCA Section 4-58-102; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2430** -- Schools, Charter As introduced, specifies that the state board of education is the LEA for those charter schools that it authorizes. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 13 and Title 49, Chapter 3. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2431** -- Education As introduced, authorizes the office of research and accountability (OREA) to study the participation of children in child care programs that are operating at the school that children participating in the child care program attend. Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 71. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2432** -- Energy As introduced, requires commissioner of general services to prepare a report of all state departments and agencies utilizing energy savings performance contracting to reduce energy and water use in state buildings; requires the commissioner to transmit the report electronically to the governor and each member of the general assembly no later than January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 12. by *White M.
- **House Bill No. 2433** -- Local Education Agencies As introduced, prohibits LEAs from entering into a non-disclosure agreement during, or as a prerequisite to, settlement for any act of sexual misconduct; prohibits employees from assisting others in obtaining employment if the employee knows that the person has engaged in sexual misconduct involving a minor or student. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *White M, *Brooks H.

House Bill No. 2434 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires governing boards of state institutions of higher education to adopt policies addressing management of student debts or obligations owed directly to the state institutions; removes a requirement that state institutions withhold diplomas, certificates of credit, or grade reports if the student has an outstanding debt to the institution of more than \$25.00. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Section 49-9-108. by *White M.

House Bill No. 2435 -- Economic and Community Development - As introduced, requires a municipality financing the cost of a qualified public use facility in a tourism development zone to provide notice, within five days instead of seven days, before entering into any structured lease agreement, that discloses the purpose of the agreement. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 88 and Title 67, Chapter 4. by *White M.

House Bill No. 2436 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires the bureau to submit, within 10 business days, the results of a criminal history background check of a person seeking to become a professional bondsman to the clerks of the court responsible for regulating the activities of the professional bondsman. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 49. by *Gant.

House Bill No. 2437 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, requires agencies, when statutorily required to hold a public hearing as part of their rulemaking process, to make copies of the rule available in redline form to persons in attendance at the hearing. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5, Part 2. by *Gant, *Faison.

House Bill No. 2438 -- Education - As introduced, authorizes the board of trustees of the college savings trust fund program to seek rulings from the department of treasury and internal revenue service about the program. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 8. by *Gant.

*House Bill No. 2439 -- Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, specifies that tenant must provide written notice to landlord when changing an email address at which the tenant agrees to receive notice from the landlord. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21; Title 13, Chapter 20; Title 33; Title 39; Title 44, Chapter 17; Title 44, Chapter 8, Part 4 and Title 66. by *Terry.

House Bill No. 2440 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, authorizes a partial fill of a prescription of an opioid. - Amends TCA Title 53 and Title 63. by *Terry.

House Bill No. 2441 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires identification of a physician licensed in this state and a meeting with the enrollee's physician when a claim is denied on the basis of medical necessity. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Terry.

House Bill No. 2442 -- Environment and Conservation, Department of - As introduced, requires the department to use existing knowledge and volunteer personnel to provide training to members of municipal solid waste management region boards. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211. by *Shaw, *Gilmore.

House Bill No. 2443 -- Welfare - As introduced, exempts long-term caregivers from work requirements under the food assistance and temporary assistance to needy families programs. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 71. by *Shaw.

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- **House Bill No. 2444** -- Children's Services, Dept. of As introduced, extends from 30 days to 40 days the period of advance notice that licensed child-placing agencies and licensed clinical social workers must provide the department before increasing fees charged to prospective adoptive parents. Amends TCA Title 36. by *Shaw.
- *House Bill No. 2445 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities As introduced, increases the maximum limit on adult residents of an adult care home from five to eight. Amends TCA Title 68. by *Travis.
- *House Bill No. 2446 -- Controlled Substances As introduced, requires a person convicted of simple possession or casual exchange of heroin to be punished by confinement for no less than 30 days and serve 100 percent of the 30-day minimum. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4. by *Travis.
- *House Bill No. 2447 -- Education As introduced, enacts the "Teacher Residency Program Grant Act." Amends TCA Title 49. by *Clemmons.
- **House Bill No. 2448** -- Insurance, Health, Accident As introduced, requires the commissioner of commerce and insurance to study issues related to including screening for the hepatitis C virus as a part of preventive services or as a mandated health insurance benefit for health insurance entities regulated by the department including consideration of the benefits and costs of broad based or targeted screening for the hepatitis C virus; the commissioner shall report to the health committee of the house of representatives and the health and welfare committee of the senate on or before January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 56. by *Thompson, *Hardaway.
- **House Bill No. 2449** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, extends Class C misdemeanor offense for handling poisonous or dangerous snakes and reptiles in a manner that endangers other people to include handling poisonous or dangerous insects. Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Title 71. by *Forgety.
- *House Bill No. 2450 -- DUI Offenses As introduced, removes penalty of Class A misdemeanor for refusing to consent to breath or blood test for DUI; makes various revisions to DUI law regarding breath and blood tests. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 40, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4. by *Whitson.
- *House Bill No. 2451 -- Orders of Protection As introduced, increases possible fine that a court may impose for contempt involving an order of protection, an injunction, or a no contact order from \$50.00 to \$500. Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 9 and Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6. by *Doss.
- *House Bill No. 2452 -- Consumer Protection As introduced, requires the manufacturer of a nonconforming HVAC system to repair the system at no cost to the consumer; requires replacement of the HVAC system in certain circumstances. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 62 and Title 68. by *Doss.
- *House Bill No. 2453 -- Election Laws As introduced, extends, from 50 days before a primary election to 25 days before a primary election, the deadline by which a person seeking a nomination through write-in ballots must notify the county election commission or the state coordinator of elections, as applicable. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 11; Title 2, Chapter 13; Title 2, Chapter 5 and Title 2, Chapter 8. by *Lynn.

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- *House Bill No. 2454 -- State Symbols As introduced, designates the book entitled They Said It Their Way: The Official Tennessee Book of By-Words and Old Sayings by Edwin Garrett as an official state book. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 1. by *Windle.
- *House Bill No. 2455 -- Education, Higher As introduced, prohibits a state institution of higher education or a governing body of a state institution of higher education from entering into, or requiring an opposing party to enter into, a non-disclosure agreement during settlement or as a prerequisite to settlement for any act of harassment, assault, or discrimination. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Daniel.
- **House Bill No. 2456** -- Taxes, Privilege As introduced, requires comptroller to conduct random audits of any persons or entities receiving proceeds from tax on the privilege of occupancy in a hotel, with such audits to include an accounting of how the proceeds are used. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 14. by *Daniel.
- **House Bill No. 2457** -- Election Laws As introduced, permits the use of a photo identification card issued by this state, the United States, or an accredited postsecondary institution of education in this state for purposes of verifying the identity of an eligible voter. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 7. by *Hardaway.
- **House Bill No. 2458** -- Veterans Services, Dept. of As introduced, requires the department to provide training in mental health crisis management to the employees of the department for the purposes of assisting veterans with mental health issues. Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 3. by *Hardaway.
- *House Bill No. 2459 -- Controlled Substances As introduced, requires a prescriber to provide certain information about the risks of opioids and options for contraception prior to prescribing opioids to women of childbearing age. Amends TCA Title 53; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Johnson, *Harwell.
- **House Bill No. 2460** -- Taxes, Ad Valorem As introduced, establishes procedure for classifying property as low-income housing property; requires such property be valued according to present use value; makes other related revisions. Amends TCA Title 13 and Title 67. by *Harwell, *Faison.
- **House Bill No. 2461** -- State Government As introduced, urges department of general services to study functions of state government performed by a private entity pursuant to a contract with the state that is for less than \$100,000 and was entered into on an open-bid basis; requires the department to report to the state and local government committee of the senate and state government committee of the house of representatives within 90 days from the conclusion of any such study. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12 and Title 41. by *Clemmons.
- *House Bill No. 2462 -- Taxes, Litigation As introduced, allows Sevier County, upon the adoption of a resolution by a two-thirds majority vote of the county legislative body, to assess a privilege tax on litigation in court cases in an amount not to exceed \$100 per case to be used exclusively for the construction of a building to house legal proceedings and offices directly involved with the court system, and to renovate the county courthouse. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6. by *Carr , *Farmer.

House Bill No. 2463 -- Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, increases, from \$250 to \$350, the amount of the cost bond required to be submitted by a person claiming a seized conveyance that is subject to forfeiture; authorizes that the claim filed by the person be on forms provided by the court having jurisdiction over the seized property. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40, Chapter 33; Title 53; Title 55; Title 57; Title 67 and Title 70. by *Rogers, *Goins.

House Bill No. 2464 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, allows current or former members of the national guard and the military reserve forces to obtain handgun permit at age 18; makes consistent the effect that restoration of citizenship has upon the possession and purchase of firearms and the obtaining of a handgun carry permit. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Rogers, *Goins.

House Bill No. 2465 -- Comptroller, State - As introduced, requires the comptroller of the treasury to study and make recommendations for increasing transparency in the purchasing of prescription drugs through the group insurance plan for state employees administered by the state insurance committee and the medical assistance program in the TennCare waiver; requires reports to legislative committees. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71. by *DeBerry, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2466 -- Drugs, Prescription - As introduced, requires the comptroller of the treasury to study the process utilized by the state to purchase prescription drugs by looking at the role of pharmacy benefits managers, the role of co-payments in drug costs to the consumer and the state, and the desirability of a bid process approved by the general assembly; requires the comptroller to report to the health committee of the house of representatives and the health and welfare committee of the senate on or before January 15, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71. by *DeBerry, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2467 -- Taxes, Sales - As introduced, reduces the tax on the retail sale of food by 1 percent each year until it is eliminated on July 1, 2021; exempts the retail sale of food from the local option sales tax beginning July 1, 2021. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *DeBerry, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2468 -- Prisons and Reformatory Institutions - As introduced, requires certain local government private prison contracts and contracts between the state and a local government to house inmates to meet criteria and standards that apply to contracts between this state and prison contractors; requires department of correction to adopt standards regarding recidivism rates and incorporate such standards into future contracts. - Amends TCA Title 5 and Title 41, Chapter 24. by *DeBerry, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2469 -- State Employees - As introduced, requires that a state employee in the preferred service be reinstated upon the failure of an appointing authority or the commissioner of human resources to issue a timely decision in a Step I or Step II appeal, respectively; requires the appointing authority and commissioner in such proceedings to provide the complainant employee copies of certain evidence prior to meeting with the employee; excludes evidence from consideration if not so provided. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 30. by *Moon.

*House Bill No. 2470 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, requires a person at the scene of an emergency to attempt to obtain emergency assistance for another whom the person knows is exposed to or has suffered serious bodily injury; creates a Class C misdemeanor offense for a knowing violation, punishable by fine only. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 1 and Title 40. by *Moon.

*House Bill No. 2471 -- Architects, Engineers and Designers - As introduced, requires the board of examiners for architects and engineers to oversee compliance with provisions governing contracts for professional services with respect to the use and procurement of architectural, engineering, and landscape architectural services for public work. - Amends TCA Section 62-2-106. by *Curcio.

House Bill No. 2472 -- Local Education Agencies - As introduced, revises various provisions of the Tennessee Community Schools Act; authorizes LEAs to collaborate with community partners to establish community schools; authorizes the department of education, subject to the availability of funding, to award transformational community schools grants to assist priority and focus schools in implementing a community school program as part of a school turnaround strategy. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 24. by *Love.

House Bill No. 2473 -- Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, excludes physicians from prohibition on referring prescriptions to pharmacies in which they own an interest for prescriptions that are not Schedule II controlled substances. - Amends TCA Title 63. by *Love.

*House Bill No. 2474 -- Students - As introduced, extends eligibility for an individualized education account to any student with an individualized education program (IEP). - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 10, Part 14. by *Moody.

House Bill No. 2475 -- Education, Curriculum - As introduced, requires that driver education courses in public schools include instruction on the dangers of using hand-held mobile telephones or personal digital assistants to transmit or read a message; requires that students be apprised of the delinquent act, and penalty, to knowingly operate a motor vehicle and use a mobile phone or personal digital assistant equipped with a hands-free device to transmit or read a written message. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Powers.

*House Bill No. 2476 -- Energy - As introduced, urges the department of military to study the impacts of wind energy on military installations and operations in this state; requires the department to submit its findings and recommendations within 90 days from the conclusion of the study to the members of the agriculture and natural resources committee of the house of representatives and the energy, agriculture and natural resources committee of the senate. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 65; Title 67; Title 68 and Title 70. by *Sexton C.

House Bill No. 2477 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, urges department of transportation to conduct a statewide study of hazards posed by exit and entrance interstate ramps within urban counties and other counties with high traffic volume; requires department to submit its findings and recommendations within 90 days of conducting such study to the transportation committee of the house of representatives and transportation and safety committee of the senate. - Amends TCA Title 54 and Title 55. by *Matlock.

House Bill No. 2478 -- Industrial Development - As introduced, prohibits industrial development boards in Loudon County from negotiating payments in lieu of tax agreements for less than the county property taxes otherwise due. - Amends TCA Section 7-53-305. by *Matlock.

*House Bill No. 2479 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, authorizes Tennessee consolidated retirement system members who deployed in support of Operation Desert Shield/Storm, Operation Enduring Freedom, or Operation Iraqi Freedom to receive military service credit in TCRS for each day of deployment; authorizes TCRS members who performed peacetime military service at any time between May 8, 1975, and August 1, 1990, to receive retirement credit for that service subject to a contribution requirement. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35 and Title 8, Chapter 36. by *Windle.

House Bill No. 2480 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, requires the appointment of a district attorney pro tem if the district attorney has a conflict in regard to a petition for expunction of criminal records concerning an offense committed while protesting a law or ordinance designed to maintain or enforce racial segregation or racial discrimination, the conviction for which occurred 37 or more years ago, - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 53; Title 55 and Title 71. by *Forgety.

House Bill No. 2481 -- Welfare - As introduced, requires the commissioner of human services to study the feasibility of implementing drug testing program for recipients of welfare programs administered by the department; requires the commissioner to report recommendations to the health committee of the house of representatives and the senate health and welfare committee no later than January 1, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 71. by *Holt.

House Bill No. 2482 -- Cooperatives - As introduced, prohibits dairy cooperatives from offering a lower price to milk producers who produce some of their own milk than the price offered to milk producers who do not produce any of their own milk. - Amends TCA Title 43 and Title 44. by *Holt.

House Bill No. 2483 -- Fairs - As introduced, authorizes the dean of the University of Tennessee extension to designate a person to serve in the dean's place on the state fair board. - Amends TCA Title 4; Section 5-9-102 and Title 43. by *Holt.

House Bill No. 2484 -- Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, removes criminal liability for possession on posted premises for a permit holder who immediately leaves posted premises upon being asked to do so. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1359. by *Holt.

House Bill No. 2485 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, permits the carry of a handgun by certain persons in areas of airports that are accessible to the public and outside of a secured area; creates misdemeanor offenses for violations of permitted carry at airports; permits carry of a handgun by certain persons on public transportation; preempts local regulations and postings that conflict. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13; Title 40; Title 42 and Title 64. by *Holt.

*House Bill No. 2486 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, exempts from sales and use tax the sale of any agricultural trailer. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 67. by *Holt.

- **House Bill No. 2487** -- Welfare As introduced, requires the department of human services to request approval to require that EBT cards for food stamps have a photo of the head of household. Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5, Part 3. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2488** -- Medical Occupations As introduced, requires healthcare practitioners to provide certain information to patients prior to administering a vaccine. Amends TCA Title 63 and Title 68. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2489** -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, authorizes required notice of proposed local sales tax to be published on local government's website in lieu of publication in newspaper of general circulation. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 7. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2490** -- Utilities, Utility Districts As introduced, prohibits certain actions by electric and natural gas utilities regarding smart meters. Amends TCA Title 7; Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 65. by *Holt.
- *House Bill No. 2491 -- Education As introduced, permits a parent to buy student workbooks and instructional materials, in addition to textbooks, with funds from the parent's student's Individualized Education Account (IEA). Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 67, Chapter 4. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2492** -- Business and Commerce As introduced, authorizes licensed plant dealers to market and do business through marketing affiliates with one or more corporate entities if the relationship between the dealer and each affiliate is clearly designated on the marketing affiliate's promotional materials and the dealer and affiliate share the same location. Amends TCA Title 43, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2493** -- TennCare As introduced, specifically makes the use of generic drugs pursuant to the Tennessee Affordable Drug Act of 2005 applicable to the TennCare program. Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10 and Title 71, Chapter 5. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2494** -- Education As introduced, prohibits school employees, directors of schools, and employees and members of a local board of education or governing body of a public charter school from assisting an employee in obtaining a job at another school for any position that involves direct contact with minors or students, if the school is on notice, or has reasonable cause to suspect, that the employee has committed an act of misconduct. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2495** -- Consumer Protection As introduced, prohibits any person, governmental entity, or other legal entity, including a utility district, that offers goods or services to consumers from rounding up the consumer's bill for goods or services without obtaining the consumer's express, written permission to opt-in to such a billing procedure. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 45; Title 47, Chapter 18; Title 62 and Title 65. by *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2496 -- State Inmates As introduced, prohibits restraining any inmate engaged in work within or outside of a prison, jail, or workhouse facility in a manner that joins the inmate with one or more other inmates. Amends TCA Title 41. by *Towns.
- **House Bill No. 2497** -- General Assembly As introduced, requires that security services at the legislative complex be provided exclusively by the Tennessee highway patrol. Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 20 and Title 4, Chapter 7. by *Towns.

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- **House Bill No. 2498** -- House of Representatives As introduced, authorizes members of the house of representatives to attend one or more out-of-state legislative gatherings each year; requires the house of representatives policy to be no less restrictive than the senate policy. Amends TCA Section 3-1-106. by *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2499 -- General Assembly As introduced, requires that security services at the legislative complex be provided in the same manner as the state capitol; requires that the legislative complex be posted. Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 20; Title 4, Chapter 7; Title 4, Chapter 8 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2500 -- Public Contracts As introduced, designates certain records as public records that are related to contracts in excess of \$1 million dollars between public agencies and persons for the performance of governmental functions. Amends TCA Title 10 and Title 12, Chapter 4. by *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2501 -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, creates new criminal offense of aggressive driving; penalty is a Class A misdemeanor or, if intent is to injure another person, a Class E felony. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 55. by *Towns.
- **House Bill No. 2502** -- Tennessee Fish & Wildlife Commission As introduced, requires persons who transfer Class I wildlife in this state to notify the chief law enforcement officer for the county and municipality where a transfer occurs within five days of the transfer. Amends TCA Title 70. by *Towns.
- **House Bill No. 2503** -- Animal Control As introduced, limits the means by which a person who possesses Class I wildlife may dispose of the animal to releasing the animal into its natural habitat, returning the animal to the seller, or donating the animal to a zoo. Amends TCA Title 70. by *Towns.
- **House Bill No. 2504** -- Privacy, Confidentiality As introduced, prohibits certain persons and entities from requiring an individual to have a radio frequency identification device attached to, or implanted into, the individual in order to engage in employment with the persons or entities, or to enter a school or a school's grounds. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 37; Title 41; Title 49; Title 50; Title 62; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Towns.
- **House Bill No. 2505** -- Local Government, General As introduced, requires the state insurance committee to extend eligibility for state insurance plans to any employee of a municipal government that is located in a municipality having a population of 300,000 or more, if the employee completes an opt-in process as established by the state insurance committee. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 27. by *Towns.
- **House Bill No. 2506** -- Consumer Protection As introduced, triples the amount of a civil penalty assessed against a person for violating the Tennessee Price-Gouging Act of 2002. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Towns.
- *House Bill No. 2507 -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, designates Lilly Pad Campground in Morgan County as a premier type tourist resort for the purposes of consumption of alcoholic beverages on premises. Amends TCA Section 57-4-102. by *Towns.

*House Bill No. 2508 -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, revises various provisions relating to the duty to notify consumers when there is a breach of system security that contains the consumers' personal identifying information. - Amends TCA Section 47-18-2107. by *Rogers.

House Bill No. 2509 -- Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, requires landlords in the City of Hendersonville, upon adoption by a two-thirds vote of the legislative body, to register with the department of the city that enforces building codes. - Amends TCA Section 66-28-107. by *Rogers.

House Bill No. 2510 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, authorizes a nurse practitioner or physician assistant who holds a federal DEA waiver to prescribe buprenorphine products under certain conditions. - Amends TCA Title 53. by *Favors.

House Bill No. 2511 -- School Transportation - As introduced, changes, from August 1 to July 31, the date by which the name, address, and telephone number of persons designated to check buses transporting children with disabilities for such children must be supplied to the LEA each year. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9; Title 49 and Title 55. by *Favors.

House Bill No. 2512 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, specifies that industrial hemp and products derived from industrial hemp, other than isolated THC, are not subject to scheduling as a controlled substance and are not subject to forfeiture based solely on their composition. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40, Chapter 33; Title 43; Title 53 and Section 67-4-2802. by *Akbari.

*House Bill No. 2513 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation - As introduced, requires the Tennessee bureau of investigation to review the number of expunction petitions filed in the prior year for crimes committed prior to November 1, 1989, the number of those petitions that were granted, and the number that were rejected; requires the TBI to report its findings to the general assembly in January 2020. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2514 -- District Attorneys - As introduced, changes from February 1 to March 1 the date by which each district attorney general must report how many administrative subpoenas were requested, issued, contested, quashed, or modified, and the number of search warrants issued and prosecutions following certain administrative subpoenas. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 17. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2515 -- Boards and Commissions - As introduced, requires each professional board to create a remediation subcommittee for the purpose of offering a licensee, who has been cited for a licensure violation, the option to have the licensure violation remediated prior to the board applying penalties to, or suspending or revoking the license of, the cited licensee. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 62 and Title 63. by *Akbari.

*House Bill No. 2516 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, requires all school personnel to receive implicit bias in-service training annually; requires students desiring a license to teach to pass a course of implicit bias training. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2517 -- Wine & Wineries - As introduced, authorizes retail food stores to sell wine on Sundays and remits the retail gallonage tax from Sunday sales to the newly created low income children pre-kindergarten scholarship fund; requires the department of education to use money in the fund to establish a scholarship program to provide access to pre-kindergarten to children from low income families. - Amends TCA Title 49; Title 57, Chapter 3; Title 57, Chapter 4 and Title 57, Chapter 5. by *Akbari.

*House Bill No. 2518 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, authorizes a person who has more than one conviction to petition on a one-time basis for expunction of up to two convictions, if each offense is otherwise eligible for expunction and if the offenses were two misdemeanors or one misdemeanor and one felony; clarifies that such persons are eligible for payment plan option extended to other petitioners. - Amends TCA Section 40-32-101. by *Akbari.

*House Bill No. 2519 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, includes one misdemeanor offense and any offenses considered one single offense for expunction purposes under current law as eligible offenses qualifying to petition for expunction under certain circumstances; splits the expunction fee among counties if the petition for expunction is for multiple offenses committed in different counties. - Amends TCA Section 40-32-101. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2520 -- Sentencing - As introduced, prohibits a sentencing court from making a sentencing determination based in whole or in part on defendant's consent or refusal to consent to any form of temporary or permanent birth control, sterilization, or family planning services, regardless of whether the defendant's consent is voluntarily given. - Amends TCA Title 40. by *Akbari.

*House Bill No. 2521 -- Marriage - As introduced, restricts marriage to persons 16 years of age or older by removing age waivers for marriage certificates. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3 and Title 37, Chapter 1. by *Akbari.

*House Bill No. 2522 -- Witnesses - As introduced, prohibits a court from requiring an educator to be a witness in a civil domestic dispute proceeding if the educator's attendance would cause absence from teaching or supervisory duties in a school unless the court determines the educator's attendance is necessary to ensure fairness. - Amends TCA Title 24 and Title 49. by *Akbari.

House Bill No. 2523 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, declares settlement agreement provisions that have purpose or effect of concealing details relating to claim of child sexual abuse, except for identifying information concerning victim, as void and unenforceable and contrary to public policy of state. - Amends TCA Title 20 and Title 29, Chapter 34, Part 1. by *Beck.

House Bill No. 2524 -- Business and Commerce - As introduced, authorizes the secretary of state to provide for the electronic submission of documents filed with the secretary by limited liability companies. - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 249. by *Beck.

House Bill No. 2525 -- Schools, Charter - As introduced, deletes the requirement for LEAs to provide, at no cost, a list of student names, ages, addresses, dates of attendance, and grade levels completed to a chartering authority or public charter school within 30 days of receiving a request for such information. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13. by *Beck.

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- **House Bill No. 2526** -- Child Custody and Support As introduced, allows a prevailing party to recover reasonable attorney's fees in a criminal or civil contempt action to enforce a decree of alimony, child support, or custody. Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 5. by *Beck.
- **House Bill No. 2527** -- Purchasing and Procurement As introduced, allows local governments to make purchases of certain motor vehicles through a federal general service administration contract. Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 12. by *Calfee.
- **House Bill No. 2528** -- Contractors As introduced, changes the timing of when retainage is due a contractor and when, and in what manner, notice of the initial retainage deposit in an escrow account is made. Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 34. by *Calfee.
- **House Bill No. 2529** -- Recreational Vehicles As introduced, adds park model recreational vehicle as a type of recreational vehicle under the Tennessee Recreation Vehicle Franchise Act of 2016. Amends TCA Title 55. by *Calfee.
- **House Bill No. 2530** -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, designates the Whitestone Country Inn as a premier type tourist resort for the purposes of the on-premises consumption of alcoholic beverages. Amends TCA Section 57-4-102. by *Calfee.
- **House Bill No. 2531** -- Taxes, Sales As introduced, requires aviation fuel dealers to file a monthly or quarterly report on tax paid not later than 45 days, instead of 30 days, after the last day of the sales period covered by the report. Amends TCA Title 7; Title 9; Title 13 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Calfee, *Ragan.
- **House Bill No. 2532** -- Taxes As introduced, clarifies that the notice of tax assessment being challenged by a taxpayer in a lawsuit against the department of revenue must be attached to the petition filed in the lawsuit. Amends TCA Title 67. by *Calfee.
- **House Bill No. 2533** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits As introduced, increases the frequency, from every four years to every two years, that the commissioners of economic and community development and revenue must evaluate excise, franchise, and sales and use tax credits and prepare a report based on that evaluation. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 1; Title 67, Chapter 4 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Calfee.
- **House Bill No. 2534** -- Veterans As introduced, requires the division of parks and recreation to designate one weekend per year, instead of one day per year, during which access to and use of all state parks is free of charge for veterans. Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 11; Title 16, Chapter 6; Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 13; Title 58; Title 67, Chapter 5 and Title 71. by *Calfee.
- **House Bill No. 2535** -- Election Laws As introduced, increases time a county election commission must determine opening time for all convenient voting centers in the county from at least 15 days before an election to at least 20 days before an election. Amends TCA Title 2. by *Calfee.

House Bill No. 2536 -- Criminal Procedure - As introduced, requires the Tennessee advisory commission on intergovernmental relations (TACIR) to study the effectiveness of statutes of limitation on prosecution for criminal offenses; requires the study to include information on sexual offense statutes of limitation and allows the study to include comparisons of Tennessee limitations to neighboring states; requires TACIR to report findings to the general assembly by January 15, 2019. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Sparks.

House Bill No. 2537 -- Professions and Occupations - As introduced, establishes apprenticeship programs for professions regulated by entities administratively attached to the division of professional regulatory boards. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 76, Part 2. by *Howell.

House Bill No. 2538 -- Water Pollution - As introduced, requires persons who apply pesticides to waters of Tennessee pursuant to the issuance of a national pollutant discharge elimination system permit to post public notice at all affected public swimming areas, boat launches, and boat docks. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39; Title 40; Title 43; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 70. by *Howell.

House Bill No. 2539 -- Insurance, Life - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Right to Shop Act". - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 56; Title 63 and Title 68. by *Howell.

House Bill No. 2540 -- Health Care - As introduced, authorizes electronic filing of annual report to appropriate committees of the general assembly made by advisory committee responsible for guiding department of health on department's birth defects registry. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 2; Title 39; Title 43; Title 53, Chapter 11; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Jones.

House Bill No. 2541 -- Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, exempts certain coffee shops owned by religious institutions from property taxation. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 2. by *Harwell, *Zachary.

House Bill No. 2542 -- TennCare - As introduced, directs that a waiver be submitted to allow for health savings account options, a cost sharing or co-pay initiative, and reasonable work requirements upon certain adult enrollees. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 56 and Title 71. by *Harwell, *Howell.

House Bill No. 2543 -- State Government - As introduced, requires state agencies to retain a record of the number of any license holders who receive electronic notification of their license renewals. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 8. by *Keisling.

House Bill No. 2544 -- Controlled Substances - As introduced, authorizes members of the controlled substances database committee to attend meetings via videoconferencing and be counted as present for purposes of detecting a quorum. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10, Part 3. by *Keisling.

House Bill No. 2545 -- Election Laws - As introduced, requires election officials to inspect filings for sufficiency and timeliness; establishes conclusive presumption that accepted filings are sufficient and timely filed. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Keisling.

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- **House Bill No. 2546** -- Barbers and/or Cosmetologists As introduced, requires the state board of cosmetology and barber examiners to promulgate rules to establish a system to timely notify an accused applicant or licensee of the board's receipt of a complaint filed against such person, and to create statutes of limitations similar to those established for real estate brokers. Amends TCA Title 62. by *White D.
- **House Bill No. 2547** -- Handgun Permits As introduced, reduces lifetime handgun carry permit fee from \$268 to \$100 for military service members who retire after 20 years of military service with honorable discharge. Amends TCA Section 39-17-1351. by *White D, *Goins.
- **House Bill No. 2548** -- Air Pollution As introduced, extends, from one to two years, the time period in which vehicles based in counties with motor vehicle inspection and maintenance programs are subject to emissions testing. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4; Title 55, Chapter 6 and Title 68, Chapter 201. by *White D.
- **House Bill No. 2549** -- Education As introduced, allows the energy efficient schools council to award grants or loans for energy efficient capital outlay projects to charter schools and the achievement school district in addition to LEAs. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 17 and Section 49-4-940. by *White D.
- *House Bill No. 2550 -- Firearms and Ammunition As introduced, requires the state board of education to develop academic standards for a firearm education course to be offered as an elective for high school students. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6. by *White D, *Goins.
- *House Bill No. 2551 -- Barbers and/or Cosmetologists As introduced, redefines "natural hair styling" and removes licensure requirement for engaging in natural hair styling as an occupation. Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4. by *White D.
- *House Bill No. 2552 -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, creates a Class E felony, punishable by fine only, when a member of a local governmental body knowingly votes to approve an ordinance or resolution that expressly conflicts with state or federal law relative to immigration or historical memorials. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 39. by *White D.
- **House Bill No. 2553** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, increases from \$2,500 to \$3,500 the fine for misdemeanor reckless endangerment; clarifies that punishment may consist of the fine, imprisonment, or both. Amends TCA Section 39-13-103. by *White D.
- **House Bill No. 2554** -- Historical Commission As introduced, prohibits a public entity from selling, donating, or transferring a historical memorial for purposes of circumventing the waiver requirements or a commission action under the Tennessee heritage protection act; deems such memorials subject to the act upon sale, donation, or transfer to a private party. Amends TCA Section 4-1-412. by *White D.
- *House Bill No. 2555 -- Fees As introduced, requires that any proposed increase to an existing administrative fee that exceeds the lesser of 5 percent or the average annual rate of inflation for the immediately preceding calendar year be proposed in the form of a legislative bill or amendment to a legislative bill rather than an administrative rule. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 62; Title 63; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 70. by *White D, *Goins.

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- House Bill No. 2556 -- Education As introduced, changes from August 1 to August 15 the date by which each LEA must submit a financial report of the receipts and expenditures for all public school purposes in the LEA to the commissioner of education. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 3. by *White D, *Goins.
- **House Bill No. 2557** -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, authorizes motorcycle rider education program advisory committee to make reports and program recommendations to commissioner of safety in electronic format. Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 55. by *White D.
- **House Bill No. 2558** -- Courts As introduced, changes, from February 1 to February 15, the date by which the department of children's services must provide the annual report on zero to three court programs to the civil justice committee of the house of representatives and the judiciary committee of the senate. Amends TCA Title 16; Title 36 and Title 37. by *Rudd, *White D.
- *House Bill No. 2559 -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires, beginning in the 2018-2019 academic year, a student enrolled in a state institution of higher education to pass a United States civics test to receive an associate or baccalaureate degree. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Butt.
- **House Bill No. 2560** -- Death As introduced, clarifies that the ability of a next of kin to seek reconsideration of a medical examiner's manner of death determination applies only when the manner of death is determined to be suicide. Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 3. by *Butt.
- **House Bill No. 2561** -- Housing As introduced, redefines "affordable housing" and "workforce housing" for purposes of specifying types of housing for which a county legislative body is authorized to appropriate funds. Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 9. by *Jernigan.
- **House Bill No. 2562** -- Children As introduced, adds the criminal justice committee of the house of representatives to the committees receiving the annual status report on child protective teams from each district attorney general. Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 39. by *Butt.
- **House Bill No. 2563** -- Taxes, Real Property As introduced, extends, from 20 days to 30 days after the date the division of property assessments publishes notice of the availability of the proposed use value schedule in a newspaper, the deadline by which a petition must be filed by owners of agricultural, forest, or open space land to convene a hearing of the state board of equalization. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 10. by *Kumar.
- *House Bill No. 2564 -- Veterans Services, Dept. of As introduced, requires the department, in collaboration with the department of health, to create a pilot program that permits military medical veterans to practice under the supervision of a licensed physician or podiatrist. Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 58. by *Johnson.
- **House Bill No. 2565** -- Environment and Conservation, Department of As introduced, requires the commissioner to develop a plan to protect, manage, and conserve the water supply. Amends TCA Title 68. by *Windle.

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House Bill No. 2566 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, prohibits owner of rental vehicles from paying traffic citations or charging additional fees against person operating the rental vehicle at the time of the alleged traffic violation; requires person operating the rental vehicle to be responsible for such payment. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 55. by *Windle.

House Bill No. 2567 -- Election Laws - As introduced, requires each county election commission, no later than January 1, 2020, to utilize precinct-based optical scanners for elections. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 20. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2568 -- Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, requires that a child and the child's parents, guardian, or custodian receive 20 days' notice instead of 14 days' notice before a hearing to transfer the child from juvenile court to criminal court. - Amends TCA Title 37; Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2569 -- Municipal Government - As introduced, authorizes a municipality to create and manage a fund for the purpose of subsidizing the cost of transportation for disabled veterans and senior citizens; authorizes the municipality to prescribe the criteria for qualifying for assistance from the fund; limits assistance from such fund to not more than \$1,000 per person in a calendar year. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 54, Part 1 and Title 7. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2570 -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, authorizes awards of treble damages in private actions for violations of the Consumer Protection Act when the unfair or deceptive act was directed at veterans. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2571 -- Consumer Protection - As introduced, makes it a violation of the Consumer Protection Act to represent that goods or services are being offered at a price or on terms available only to veterans while offering the same price or terms to non-veterans. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2572 -- Housing - As introduced, requires the human rights commission to provide an electronic report annually to each member of the general assembly of the number of housing discrimination claims the commission receives each year. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21; Title 13 and Title 68. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2573 -- Arbitration - As introduced, declares arbitration agreement provisions that have purpose or effect of concealing details relating to claim of sexual harassment or sexual assault as void and unenforceable and contrary to public policy of this state. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5 and Title 29, Chapter 5. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2574 -- Children - As introduced, adds the commissioner of children's services to the recipients who may receive disposition information from the council of juvenile and family court judges; those who may receive such information currently include properly concerned agencies and individuals, or any person upon request. - Amends TCA Title 3 and Title 37. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2575 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, authorizes civil action against person selling or transferring firearm if firearm sold or transferred without a background check and firearm used in crime resulting in injury to person or property or wrongful death. - Amends TCA Title 29 and Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13. by *Stewart.

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- **House Bill No. 2576** -- Education, Dept. of As introduced, changes from July 1 to August 1 the date by which the department must submit its annual report on virtual education programs to the governor, the general assembly, the state board of education, and the BEP review committee. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Stewart.
- **House Bill No. 2577** -- Municipal Government As introduced, authorizes municipalities to create a fund that provides grants for the study of juveniles involved in prostitution and homicides committed by juveniles. Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 54, Part 1. by *Stewart.
- *House Bill No. 2578 -- Public Records As introduced, permits a person less than 20 years of age to expunge a conviction for driving under the influence of an intoxicant if the offense did not involve a motor vehicle accident and there were mitigating circumstances; permits a person who was less than 20 at the time of the offense to expunge a conviction for mitigated statutory rape or statutory rape. Amends TCA Section 37-1-153 and Section 40-32-101. by *Ragan.
- *House Bill No. 2579 -- Immigration As introduced, authorizes local chief law enforcement officers to enter into memoranda of understanding with the United States department of homeland security concerning the enforcement of federal immigration laws, detention and removals, and investigations in the local jurisdiction. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 7 and Title 8, Chapter 8. by *Ragan.
- **House Bill No. 2580** -- Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services, Dept. of As introduced, requires the commissioner to report to the health committee of the house of representatives and the senate health and welfare committee on the adequacy of resources to assist children and youth impacted by the opioid epidemic and adverse childhood experiences by January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 33; Title 37; Title 49; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Ragan.
- **House Bill No. 2581** -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, authorizes off-highway vehicles to be operated on segment of State Route 116 in Anderson County. Amends TCA Section 55-8-185. by *Ragan.
- *House Bill No. 2582 -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires state institutions of higher education to classify students as in-state for tuition purposes, only if the students are Tennessee citizens. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Moon, *Ragan.
- *House Bill No. 2583 -- Domestic Violence As introduced, adds the chair of the criminal justice committee of the house of representatives and the chair of the judiciary committee of the senate to the list of persons to whom the domestic violence state coordinating council must submit its annual report. Amends TCA Title 16; Title 36; Title 38, Chapter 12; Title 39; Title 40 and Title 41. by *McCormick.
- **House Bill No. 2584** -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, deletes "Unfair Wine Sales Law." Amends TCA Title 57. by *McCormick.
- *House Bill No. 2585 -- Correction, Dept. of As introduced, requires magistrates who order defendants to carry or wear a GPS device to annually report to the department the number of defendants ordered to do so; requires the department to compile the reports and submit the compilation to the judiciary committee of the senate and the criminal justice committee of the house of representatives. Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Section 55-10-402. by *McCormick.

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- **House Bill No. 2586** -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, changes, from 500 feet to 150 meters, the distance within which a person must commit a disorderly or offensive act for a person to commit the Class B misdemeanor offense of interfering with a funeral or burial. Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40. by *Van Huss.
- **House Bill No. 2587** -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, redefines "municipality" to be cities or towns of 900 persons or more instead of 925 persons or more for purposes of the alcoholic beverage laws. Amends TCA Title 57. by *Sparks.
- *House Bill No. 2588 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits As introduced, adds registrar-at-large or administrator of elections serving Davidson County to the definition of "county official" for purposes of the state retirement system. Amends TCA Section 8-34-101. by *Moody.
- **House Bill No. 2589** -- State Employees As introduced, requires commissioner of human resources to establish initial period of probation for employees in preferred service of the state that does not exceed six months rather than a period that is not less than one year. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 30. by *Hill T.
- **House Bill No. 2590** -- State Government As introduced, deletes the authority of an appointing authority to layoff or furlough state employees or reduce such employees' hours of employment for purposes of efficiency or any other material change in duties or organization. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 53; Title 10; Title 11; Title 12; Title 41; Title 50 and Title 54. by *Lollar.
- *House Bill No. 2591 -- Public Employees As introduced, provides a \$100 per month raise on July 1 every odd-numbered year to all public employees who are in active state service as of June 30 of such year; the raises are subject to appropriations. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9; Title 40; Title 49 and Title 54. by *Byrd.
- **House Bill No. 2592** -- Local Government, General As introduced, negates mandatory application of certain laws on local governments that are not fully funded; prohibits an agency of state government from creating a new fee that will impact local governments in any year in which the general state revenues to the agency have decreased from the previous year. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 53; Title 10; Title 12; Title 41 and Title 50. by *Rogers.
- **House Bill No. 2593** -- Public Employees As introduced, requires the commissioner of finance and administration to disclose on the department's website certain information related to state-funded travel for public employees to events at which state vendors or potential vendors are present. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 8; Title 12; Title 41 and Title 49. by *Butt.
- **House Bill No. 2594** -- Public Employees As introduced, restores longevity pay for employees of the executive branch in the state service hired after June 30, 2015. Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 38. by *Sparks.
- **House Bill No. 2595** -- State Employees As introduced, requires a state agency in any proceeding to suspend, terminate, or discipline an employee in state service to prove by a preponderance of the evidence that the employee violated state law or a rule or policy of the agency prior to taking such action. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 30. by *Hawk.

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House Bill No. 2596 -- State Government - As introduced, requires department of transportation to cause to have a law enforcement vehicle and officer at all work zones in which a work activity hazard or a work zone design hazard is present. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 12; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Windle.

House Bill No. 2597 -- Beer - As introduced, increases number of barrels a manufacturer that operates as a retailer may sell from not more than 25,000 to not more than 40,000 annually. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 5. by *Rogers.

House Bill No. 2598 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, requires the board of trustees of the Tennessee consolidated retirement system to transmit electronically a copy of its annual report regarding the fiscal transactions of the board for the preceding year to each member of the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 25; Title 8, Chapter 27; Title 8, Chapter 34; Title 8, Chapter 35; Title 8, Chapter 36 and Title 8, Chapter 37. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2599 -- TennCare - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare and its managed care organizations to accept a claim from a healthcare provider as being timely filed when the claim is filed within one year of the date of service; provides for review of a denial of a claim on that basis under the prompt payment requirements of the Health Maintenance Organization Act of 1986. - Amends TCA Title 56 and Title 71. by *Hill T.

House Bill No. 2600 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, prohibits an outpatient diagnostic center from being required to report social security numbers, and race and ethnicity data with claims data reports. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *White D.

*House Bill No. 2601 -- State Employees - As introduced, requires a director or manager of the county or area office of the department of human services who determines that a state employee is eligible for food stamp assistance to notify the employee's appointing authority; requires the person's appointing authority to raise the person's compensation, within 60 days, to a level such that the person is ineligible for food stamps. - Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 71. by *Windle.

House Bill No. 2602 -- Aircraft and Airports - As introduced, creates an executive board for certain regional airport authorities; prohibits the regional airport authority from taking actions without approval of the executive board and from hiring lobbyists; requires the regional airport authority to submit a report to the executive board. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 13; Title 42 and Title 64. by *Hill M, *Hulsey, *Hill T, *VanHuss, *Crawford.

*House Bill No. 2603 -- Licenses - As introduced, requires persons subject to licensure as emergency medical services personnel to notify the commissioner of health of all convictions and pending charges of commission of a felony or misdemeanor within 10 business days of the occurrence of such actions. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 140. by *Williams.

House Bill No. 2604 -- Wine & Wineries - As introduced, extends, from 72 hours to 96 hours, the period during which a wine festival may be permitted. - Amends TCA Title 11; Title 13 and Title 57. by *Doss.

House Bill No. 2605 -- Child Abuse - As introduced, requires the department of children's services to develop instructional guidelines for child safety training programs for members of professions that frequently deal with children who may be at risk of abuse; requires the board of social worker licensure to create child safety training programs; requires licensees of the board of social worker licensure to complete the appropriate child safety training program prior to license renewal. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 4; Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 23; Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 63, Chapter 9. by *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2606 -- Child Abuse - As introduced, requires the department of children's services to develop instructional guidelines for child safety training programs for members of professions that frequently deal with children who may be at risk of abuse; requires certain licensing boards to create child safety training programs; requires certain professionals to complete the appropriate child safety training program prior to license renewal. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 4; Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 23; Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 63, Chapter 9. by *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2607 -- Annexation - As introduced, redefines "notice" for purposes of municipal annexation to mean publication in a newspaper of general circulation 10 days in advance of a hearing rather than seven days. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 51; Title 6, Chapter 58 and Title 13. by *Mitchell.

House Bill No. 2608 -- TennCare - As introduced, requires TennCare to establish a procedure that allows recipients under the age of 18 to reapply for TennCare online without requiring any paper forms; requires implementation of this procedure no later than November 1, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 71. by *Mitchell, *Powell.

House Bill No. 2609 -- Recycling - As introduced, requires the department of environment and conservation to include a description of the activities of the office of cooperative marketing for recyclables in its annual report on solid waste management. - Amends TCA Section 41-2-123; Section 57-5-201; Section 67-4-402; Title 68, Chapter 211 and Chapter 616 of the Public Acts of 2010. by *Mitchell.

*House Bill No. 2610 -- Law Enforcement - As introduced, prohibits law enforcement officer from removing person from aircraft if person has valid ticket and does not pose a threat to safety of property, oneself, or another person. - Amends TCA Title 38, Chapter 3. by *Mitchell.

*House Bill No. 2611 -- General Assembly - As introduced, requires that individuals be permitted to bring signs into legislative office buildings and the state capitol building and to possess the signs while present in such buildings. - Amends TCA Title 3 and Title 4, Chapter 8. by *Mitchell.

House Bill No. 2612 -- Election Laws - As introduced, permits a person at least 15 years of age but not more than 18 years of age to be registered to vote upon turning 18 years of age through submittal of an application for a driver's permit, driver license, or photo identification license with the department of safety. - Amends TCA Title 2. by *Mitchell.

- **House Bill No. 2613** -- Employees, Employers As introduced, prohibits public and private employers from requiring an employee or prospective employee to execute a non-disclosure agreement with respect to sexual harassment in the workplace as a condition of employment. Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 1, Part 1. by *Mitchell.
- *House Bill No. 2614 -- Water Pollution As introduced, requires the commissioner of environment and conservation to establish water quality-based effluent limits for facilities where certain municipally owned sewage treatment plant expansion projects may occur. Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 221 and Title 69. by *Mitchell.
- **House Bill No. 2615** -- Evidence As introduced, expands Rule 412 of the Rules of Evidence, known as the rape shield law, to include the offenses of sex trafficking or commercial sexual exploitation of children, aggravated rape of a child, statutory rape by an authority figure, and promoting travel for prostitution. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13. by *Mitchell.
- *House Bill No. 2616 -- Consumer Protection As introduced, removes authorization for consumer reporting agencies to charge a fee to consumers for the placement of a security freeze on a consumer credit report. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18, Part 21. by *Mitchell.
- **House Bill No. 2617** -- Taxes, Gross Receipts As introduced, imposes a gross receipts tax on the sale of opioids. Amends TCA Title 67. by *Mitchell.
- **House Bill No. 2618** -- Drugs, Prescription As introduced, creates sales tax of ten cents per opioid pill dispensed pursuant to prescription; collected tax to be allocated for drug education, prevention, and treatment, including drug courts. Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 22; Title 16, Chapter 6 and Title 67. by *Mitchell.
- **House Bill No. 2619** -- Industrial Development As introduced, authorizes members of the board of directors of an industrial development corporation to attend meetings via videoconferencing. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53. by *Butt.
- **House Bill No. 2620** -- Attorney General and Reporter As introduced, expands the attorney general and reporter's duties to include representation of an LEA or certain LEA employees in a legal proceeding arising out of the LEA's adoption of a policy or practice designating multi-person restrooms, locker rooms, or other facilities for use based only on one's biological sex. Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 9. by *Holt.
- **House Bill No. 2621** -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts As introduced, establishes executive director of the Greater Nashville Regional Council as the secretary of the council; makes other revisions to the membership and governance of the council. Amends TCA Title 64, Chapter 7. by *Lynn.
- *House Bill No. 2622 -- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation As introduced, creates a civil rights era cold case division in the bureau to consist of one special agent, one administrative staffer, one analyst, and such additional personnel as the director assigns to the division. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21 and Title 38. by *Turner, *Goins, *Rudd, *Hardaway, *Favors, *Parkinson, *Camper.

*House Bill No. 2623 -- Human Rights Commission - As introduced, increases from 10 days to 15 days the time within which the human rights commission must send to a person who files a sworn complaint a notice acknowledging receipt of the complaint and informing the complainant of the time limits and choice of forums available to the person charged in the complaint. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21; Title 29, Chapter 20, Part 2; Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 3 and Title 40. by *Turner, *Goins, *Rudd, *Hardaway, *Favors, *Parkinson, *Camper.

*House Bill No. 2624 -- Human Rights - As introduced, confers upon the Tennessee human rights commission the duty to notify the appropriate district attorney general if during the course of an investigation there is reasonable cause to believe that a violation of § 39-17-309, involving civil rights intimidation, has occurred. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4 and Title 62. by *Turner, *Goins, *Rudd, *Hardaway, *Favors, *Parkinson, *Camper.

*House Bill No. 2625 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates a defense to the offense of criminal simulation that the object altered or made had a greater value than the defendant fraudulently alleged, certified, or authenticated. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 39 and Title 40. by *Turner, *Goins, *Rudd, *Hardaway, *Favors, *Parkinson, *Camper.

*House Bill No. 2626 -- Public Records - As introduced, requires the general assembly to adopt a resolution by constitutional majority in each house in order to obtain TBI investigative records and provides that joint or standing committee can only require TBI records if the general assembly is not in session. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7. by *Turner, *Goins, *Rudd, *Hardaway, *Favors, *Parkinson, *Camper.

House Bill No. 2627 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, requires all health benefit plans to provide coverage for contraception and other women's preventive health services; provides exemptions for certain religious employers. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *Turner, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2628 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires the governing board of each state university, the trustees of the University of Tennessee, and the board of regents to create a policy to provide special education services to students with documented learning disabilities and special needs, including but not limited to tutoring services and career placement guidance. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Turner, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2629 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, requires the department of children's services to develop instructional guidelines for child safety training programs for teachers; requires teachers to complete the appropriate child safety training program prior to license issuance or renewal. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 4; Title 49, Chapter 5, Part 1; Title 63, Chapter 23; Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 2; Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 63, Chapter 9. by *Turner, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2630 -- Courts - As introduced, authorizes the creation of first responder treatment court programs; creates a \$50.00 fee for drug-related criminal convictions in counties establishing or operating a first responder treatment court program. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 21, Part 4 and Title 16. by *Turner, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2631 -- Public Officials - As introduced, clarifies that annual report attorney general is required to provide to state board of claims before close of fiscal year describing manner in which funds received from the risk management fund were used in representing state employees may be filed electronically. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9 and Title 50. by *Turner, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2632 -- Domestic Violence - As introduced, requires any law enforcement officer responding to alleged domestic abuse who finds a minor may have been present during the alleged abuse to determine whether the child is a victim of abuse or neglect and, if so, report that fact to the department of children's services. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3, Part 6; Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 4 and Section 39-13-111. by *Turner, *Hardaway.

House Bill No. 2633 -- Boards and Commissions - As introduced, authorizes the election of one member of the board of directors for an industrial development corporation or a health, educational, and housing facility corporation, who is an employee of the municipality, or who is not a duly qualified elector or taxpayer of the municipality, or both, if the member is employed in the promotion of economic development in the municipality. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53, Part 3 and Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 3. by *Lynn.

*House Bill No. 2634 -- Physicians and Surgeons - As introduced, clarifies that the required notice to patients when extremely dense breast tissue is discovered must be a written notice given directly to the patient either in person or by mail. - Amends TCA Title 63. by *Kumar.

House Bill No. 2635 -- Municipal Government - As introduced, authorizes the City of Hendersonville to add the storm water user's fee to the real property tax notice. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-103. by *Lamberth.

House Bill No. 2636 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel - As introduced, authorizes the City of Hendersonville, by ordinance adopted by a two-thirds vote, to levy an occupancy tax of not more than 2.75 percent on the privilege of staying in any hotel or motel in Hendersonville; requires the ordinance to set forth the manner of collection and administration of the privilege tax; requires that all proceeds received by the municipality from the tax be used for tourism development. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425. by *Lamberth.

House Bill No. 2637 -- Municipal Government - As introduced, authorizes members of the board of commissioners in a municipality with a city manager-commission charter to attend meetings via videoconferencing; members attending via videoconferencing are present for purposes of quorum and voting. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 18; Title 6, Chapter 19; Title 6, Chapter 20; Title 6, Chapter 21; Title 6, Chapter 22 and Title 6, Chapter 23. by *Whitson.

*House Bill No. 2638 -- Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation - As introduced, changes from March 15 to March 1 the date by which TSAC must report its research and data concerning the Tennessee Promise Scholarship to the education committee of the senate and the education administration and planning committee of the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4. by *White M.

House Bill No. 2639 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, authorizes the court to send, electronically, the report informing the department of safety that the court has suspended the driver license of a person convicted for evading arrest. - Amends TCA Title 39; Title 40 and Title 71. by *Forgety.

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House Bill No. 2640 -- Taxes, Sales - As introduced, authorizes allocation of sales and use taxes to be used for financing facility for minor league affiliate of a major league soccer team. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Love.

House Bill No. 2641 -- Unemployment Compensation - As introduced, changes the time when the commissioner of labor and workforce development must make a January report to the general assembly concerning the condition of the unemployment trust fund from the first week of the month to the second week of the month. - Amends TCA Title 50. by *Casada.

House Bill No. 2642 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, requires that the identification carried by reserve or auxiliary officers operating authorized law enforcement vehicles that display flashing red, white, or blue lights bear the officer's photograph and identifying information. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8 and Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 4. by *Casada.

House Bill No. 2643 -- General Assembly - As introduced, extends from 60 to 90 days the period by which two legislative employees in violation of the general assembly's nepotism policy as the result of marriage may resolve the violation by agreement before further action is taken. - Amends TCA Title 3. by *Casada.

House Bill No. 2644 -- Appropriations - As introduced, makes appropriations for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2017, and July 1, 2018. by *Sargent.

House Bill No. 2645 -- Bond Issues - As introduced, authorizes the state to issue and sell bonds of up to \$245,435,000. by *Sargent.

House Bill No. 2646 -- Budget Procedures - As introduced, allows for grant payments under the grant assistance program for nursing home care being made monthly or quarterly; makes statutory revisions required for implementation of the annual appropriations act. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 8; Title 9; Title 10; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 16; Title 17; Title 18; Title 29; Title 33; Title 36; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41; Title 43; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 49; Title 50; Title 53; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 57; Title 58; Title 59; Title 60; Title 62; Title 63; Title 64; Title 65; Title 66; Title 67; Title 68; Title 69; Title 70 and Title 71. by *Sargent.

House Bill No. 2647 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission - As introduced, requires the Tennessee higher education commission to submit its annual report regarding state workforce need and projections to each state university board in addition to the board of regents, the University of Tennessee board of trustees, and the Tennessee Independent Colleges and Universities Association. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1. by *Hawk, *Casada.

House Bill No. 2648 -- State Government - As introduced, clarifies that a department or agency of state government must notify each general assembly member representing affected districts of its intent to execute a contract to outsource facilities management services to private entities not less than 30 calendar days prior to contract execution, rather than 30 business days. - Amends TCA Title 4. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2649 -- State Inmates - As introduced, requires that a copy of an inmate's judgment of conviction and other sentencing documents be delivered with each inmate to the chief administrative officer of the local jail, workhouse, or other facility where the inmate will serve the sentence imposed rather than the warden of the penitentiary. - Amends TCA Title 41. by *Stewart.

House Bill No. 2650 -- Local Education Agencies - As introduced, changes, from 30 to 15, the number of days after the beginning of a school year within which a local board of education is required to certify to the commissioner of education its adherence to its plan for compliance with the Tennessee School Nutrition Standards Act. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2651 -- Education - As introduced, establishes a commission on the school-to-prison pipeline and restorative practices. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2652 -- Education - As introduced, establishes a state seal of STEM to be placed on diplomas and transcripts of students demonstrating proficiency in STEM subjects. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2653 -- Taxes - As introduced, requires commissioner of revenue to report in writing to the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and the house of representatives the total, annual amount of industrial machinery franchise and excise tax credits provided under Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-4-2009(3), for fiscal years 2012-2017. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2654 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, adds a Class E felony offense for possession of a firearm if a person has previously been convicted of an offense for which the sentence was enhanced based upon certain factors. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1307 and Title 40, Chapter 35, Part 1. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2655 -- Education - As introduced, requires the state board and the department of education to report to the education committee of the senate and the education instruction and programs committee of the house of representatives by July 1, 2018, as to the actions taken to implement a sexual violence awareness and prevention curriculum, if any, for students in grades 7-12. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2656 -- Education - As introduced, requires LEAs to annually survey students, within one month of the start of each school year, starting in the 2018-2019 school year, as to the availability of internet access in their homes and annually report the results to the department of education by November 1; the department will annually report the results to the governor, the education instruction and programs committee of the house of representatives, and the education committee of the senate by December 15. - Amends TCA Title 49. by *Camper.

House Bill No. 2657 -- Naming and Designating - As introduced, authorizes the Tennessee state veterans' homes board to name, subject to the governor's approval, the campus, buildings, facilities, and grounds of any state veterans' home; authorizes the administrator of each veterans' home to name any portion of the state veterans' home. - Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 7. by *Camper.

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- **House Bill No. 2658** -- Courts, Juvenile As introduced, prohibits a juvenile court from issuing a valid court order upon an unruly child or a child whose only offense is a status offense. Amends TCA Title 37. by *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2659 -- Health, Dept. of As introduced, authorizes a pilot program to match local funds for municipalities that want to start a community-based emergency response program. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 55 and Title 68. by *Love.
- **House Bill No. 2660** -- District Attorneys As introduced, authorizes counties to supplement the salaries of assistant district attorneys general by depositing funds with the treasury of the state for that purpose. Amends TCA Section 8-7-226. by *Love.
- **House Bill No. 2661** -- Driver Licenses As introduced, under certain circumstances, authorizes issuance of a driver license, free of charge, to full-time students at postsecondary institutions who are nonresidents and have established residency in Tennessee. Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Mitchell.
- *House Bill No. 2662 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts As introduced, prohibits water and wastewater treatment authorities from charging sewer fees for a property that cannot connect to sewer service due to a moratorium on connections; requires that persons who have paid sewer fees during a moratorium on connections that prevented such persons from connecting to service receive a credit against future charges. Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 221 and Title 69, Chapter 3. by *Carter.
- **House Bill No. 2663** -- Fire Prevention and Investigation As introduced, changes, from February 1 to February 15, the date by which fire insurance companies transacting business in this state are required to report to the commissioner of commerce and insurance details on all fire losses on all property insured by such companies within the state. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 9 and Title 68, Chapter 102. by *Carter.
- *House Bill No. 2664 -- Regional Authorities and Special Districts As introduced, authorizes lessees of industrial development corporations to file electronically the required annual report to the comproller of the treasury and the county assessor of property. Amends TCA Section 7-53-101 and Section 7-53-305. by *Carter.
- *House Bill No. 2665 -- Election Laws As introduced, prescribes procedure for paper ballots in counties using optical scan voting systems and procedure for provisional ballots. Amends TCA Section 2-7-114(c). by *Carter.
- *House Bill No. 2666 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel As introduced, increases, from 2.5 percent to 5 percent, the maximum amount of the occupancy tax that McMinnville is authorized to levy. Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425. by *Mitchell.
- **House Bill No. 2667** -- Education As introduced, requires the office of research and education accountability (OREA) to investigate and report on unauthorized grade changes occurring at public schools and public charter schools in Shelby County no later than December 31, 2018. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3 and Title 49. by *Hardaway.

- *House Bill No. 2668 -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires THEC to post its annual in-state tuition and fee policy on its website within five business days of the policy's adoption; requires THEC to include an explanation as to how the tuition and fee ranges were chosen. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9. by *Hardaway, *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2669 -- Education, Dept. of As introduced, requires the department to create a voucher program allowing students attending Title I schools to apply for a voucher and to use the voucher to enroll in a driver education course. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Hardaway, *Camper.
- *House Bill No. 2670 -- Education, State Board of As introduced, designates the state board of education as the regulating authority for the public school athletic events of cross country, football, soccer, volleyball, golf, basketball, bowling, wrestling, baseball, softball, tennis, and track. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3 and Title 49, Chapter 6. by *Sexton C.
- *House Bill No. 2671 -- Tennessee Fish & Wildlife Commission As introduced, authorizes the commission to promulgate rules to allow for the use of dogs in tracking and recovering injured or deceased deer. Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 4. by *Sexton C.
- *House Bill No. 2672 -- Appropriations As introduced, appropriates receipts of highway revenues to the department of transportation; earmarks sufficient state funds for the purpose of funding any bill naming a highway or bridge in honor of a service member or a public safety official killed in the line of duty. by *Fitzhugh.
- **House Bill No. 2673** -- Health Care As introduced, directs the department of commerce and insurance and the department of health to study the need for medication assisted treatment in this state. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 16; Title 33; Title 40; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Fitzhugh.
- **House Bill No. 2674** -- Liens As introduced, requires register of deeds in counties in which a contractor's license is required for the recordation of a contractor's lien to devise a system to verify if a contractor is properly licensed before recording a contractor's lien. Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 11, Part 1. by *Fitzhugh.
- **House Bill No. 2675** -- Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation As introduced, authorizes county or district health department to operate a needle and hypodermic syringe exchange program on petition of the county legislative body and approval by the department of health. Amends TCA Title 68. by *Fitzhugh, *Favors.
- **House Bill No. 2676** -- Correctional Programs As introduced, enacts the "Private Prison Alignment Act." Amends TCA Title 4; Title 12 and Title 41. by *Fitzhugh.
- **House Bill No. 2677** -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits As introduced, adds chambers of commerce that have received a determination of exemption from the internal revenue service under section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code to the list of organizations that are exempt from paying the sales and use tax. Amends TCA Title 67. by *Fitzhugh.

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- **House Bill No. 2678** -- TennCare As introduced, directs the commissioner of finance and administration to seek a federal waiver to establish VolunteerCare and permits persons who are 55 years of age or older to purchase healthcare coverage through the TennCare program. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 56 and Title 71. by *Fitzhugh.
- **House Bill No. 2679** -- Judicial Districts As introduced, creates division V of the circuit court of the 21st judicial district and a new circuit or chancery court in the 16th judicial district; both new judges to be appointed by governor until September 1, 2020; eliminates one division of circuit court or chancery court in the 20th judicial district effective September 1, 2020, to fund new court in 21st district and one division of circuit court or chancery court in the 30th judicial district effective September 1, 2020, to fund new court in the 16th district. Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 2. by *Casada.
- *House Bill No. 2680 -- Public Employees As introduced, requires a county that provides insurance coverage for its employees and officials to make its policy or policies of group insurance for group life, hospitalization, disability, or medical expenses for such employees and officials readily available on the county's website. Amends TCA Title 5; Title 8 and Title 56. by *Hazlewood.
- *House Bill No. 2681 -- Historical Sites and Preservation As introduced, requires the Sam Davis Memorial Association to evaluate the maintenance and upkeep needs of the Sam Davis home and to report back to the chairs of the finance, ways and means committees of the house of representatives and the senate no later than January 15, 2019. Amends TCA Title 4. by *Sparks.
- **House Bill No. 2682** -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires the governor, in appointing members to governing boards of state institutions of higher education, to strive to ensure that at least one board member is an honorably discharged military veteran. Amends TCA Section 49-8-201 and Section 49-9-202. by *Weaver.
- *House Bill No. 2683 -- Religion and Religious Organizations As introduced, prohibits a state or local government entity, except for courts, from compelling a clergy member to testify regarding a sermon. Amends TCA Section 4-1-407 and Title 24. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2684** -- Public Funds and Financing As introduced, authorizes the treasurer to invest state funds in a debt obligation issued and guaranteed by a foreign sovereign government, subject to appropriation. Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 6. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2685** -- Consumer Protection As introduced, enacts the "Human Trafficking Prevention Act." Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 30 and Title 47, Chapter 18. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2686** -- Taxes, Real Property As introduced, requires the comptroller of the treasury to annually report a list of all counties and municipalities that have adopted the property tax freeze program to the chairs of the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and the house of representatives. Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2687** -- State Government As introduced, creates a new division of state government, the Tennessee Office of Cooperative Disability Investigation. Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 10; Title 38 and Title 71. by *Weaver.

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- **House Bill No. 2688** -- Public Funds and Financing As introduced, authorizes obligations guaranteed as to principal and interest by Freddie Mac, Fannie Mae, Sallie Mae, and other similar organizations as instruments for investment to be made by the treasurer. Amends TCA Section 9-4-612. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2689** -- Consumer Protection As introduced, designates as an unfair or deceptive act or practice the failure of a broadband service provider to give a new consumer notice of the availability of parental control protections. Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18 and Title 65, Chapter 5, Part 2. by *Weaver.
- **House Bill No. 2690** -- Education As introduced, creates additional privacy protections for students' education and health records; prohibits release of student records in certain circumstances without parents' informed written consent. Amends TCA Title 49. by *Weaver.
- *House Bill No. 2691 -- Juvenile Offenders As introduced, requires any juvenile who is adjudicated delinquent for conduct that would constitute a homicide offense if committed by an adult to be, at a minimum, committed to the department of childrens' services for one year or until the juvenile turns 19 years of age, whichever occurs first. Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1. by *Alexander.
- *House Bill No. 2692 -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, designates The Caverns in Grundy County as a premier type tourist resort for purposes of selling alcoholic beverages for consumption on premises. Amends TCA Section 57-4-102. by *Alexander.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED

On motion, the Senate Bills listed below, transmitted to the House, were held on the Clerk's desk pending third consideration of the companion House Bill as noted:

- *Senate Bill No. 1469 -- Naming and Designating As introduced, names the wrestling room at the Tennessee School for the Blind in honor of Frank Alexander. by *Dickerson, *Watson, *Bell, *Harper. (HB1458 by *Jernigan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1481 -- Comptroller, State As introduced, clarifies that the Local Government Modernization Act of 2005 creates an ongoing, rather than one-time, duty of the comptroller of the treasury to ensure local governments are in compliance with the accounting and financial reporting standards established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 3, Part 4. by *Swann. (HB1500 by *Vaughan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1482 -- Public Records As introduced, repeals the requirement that the register of each county, once in every year, lay before the county legislative body all the records of the register's office for examination. Repeals TCA Section 10-7-103. by *Gresham. (HB1538 by *Gant, *Carr)
- *Senate Bill No. 1484 -- Taxes, Real Property As introduced, removes requirement that a city lying in more than one county be reappraised under a separate plan of reappraisal. Amends TCA Section 67-5-1601(b). by *Briggs. (HB1670 by *Moon)

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- *Senate Bill No. 1508 -- County Government As introduced, specifies that, in the event of a discrepancy between the map showing the districts from which members of the legislative body are elected and the typed or printed description of those boundaries, the map is the controlling document. Amends TCA Section 5-1-110. by *Bailey. (HB1537 by *Calfee)
- *Senate Bill No. 1518 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the board of nursing for three years to June 30, 2021. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 7, Part 2. by *Bell. (HB1612 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1520 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the board of pharmacy for five years to June 30, 2023. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 63, Chapter 10, Part 3. by *Bell. (HB1614 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1522 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the collateral pool board for eight years to June 30, 2026. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 5. by *Bell. (HB1616 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1524 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the commission for uniform legislation for six years to June 30, 2024. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 9. by *Bell. (HB1618 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1525 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Compact for Education for six years to June 30, 2024. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 49, Chapter 12, Part 2. by *Bell. (HB1619 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1526 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the controlled substance database advisory committee for five years to June 30, 2023. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 53, Chapter 10, Part 3. by *Bell. (HB1620 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1527 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the council on children's mental health care for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 37, Chapter 3, Part 1. by *Bell. (HB1621 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1533 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the department of tourist development for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3. by *Bell. (HB1627 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1536 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the domestic violence state coordinating council for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 38, Chapter 12. by *Bell. (HB1644 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1540 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Interstate Compact for Juveniles for eight years to June 30, 2026. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 37, Chapter 4, Part 1. by *Bell. (HB1648 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1541 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Interstate Compact for Supervision of Adult Offenders for eight years to June 30, 2026. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 40, Chapter 28, Part 4. by *Bell. (HB1649 by *Faison, *Ragan)

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- *Senate Bill No. 1542 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Interstate Mining Compact for six years to June 30, 2024. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 59, Chapter 10. by *Bell. (HB1650 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1543 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, removes from entity review the repealed Interstate Nurse Licensure Compact; adds to entity review the newly enacted version of the Interstate Nurse Licensure Compact and sets a termination date of June 30, 2020. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 63, Chapter 7. by *Bell. (HB1651 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1550 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the sex offender treatment board for eight years to June 30, 2026. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 7. by *Bell. (HB1658 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- *Senate Bill No. 1561 -- Sunset Laws As introduced, extends the Tennessee fish and wildlife commission for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 70, Chapter 1, Part 2. by *Bell. (HB1559 by *Faison)
- *Senate Bill No. 1610 -- Correction, Dept. of As introduced, extends from June 30, 2018, to June 30, 2019, the repeal date for the provision allowing the commissioner of correction to extend the limitation period for claims against the state for the payment of costs and fees by an additional six months. Amends Chapter 85 of the Public Acts of 2017. by *Kelsey. (HB1725 by *Ramsey)
- *Senate Bill No. 1729 -- Finance and Administration, Dept. of As introduced, requires that all out-of-state travel expenditures made by executive level employees be posted on the state website, not just expenditures for which reimbursements are made. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 10. by *Bell. (HB2270 by *Forgety)

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

On motion, bills listed below passed second consideration and were referred by the Speaker to Committee or held on the Clerk's desk as noted:

- *House Bill No. 2117 -- Guardians and Conservators -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2118 -- Human Services, Dept. of -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2119 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2120 -- Economic and Community Development -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2121 -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee
 - **House Bill No. 2122** -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2123 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

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*House Bill No. 2124 -- TennCare -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2125 -- Annexation -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2126 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2127 -- Motor Vehicles -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2128 -- State Symbols -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2129 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2130 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2131 -- Historical Commission -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2132 -- Taxes -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

House Bill No. 2133 -- Auctions and Auctioneers -- House Business and Utilities Committee

*House Bill No. 2134 -- Adoption -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2135 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

House Bill No. 2136 -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 2137 -- TennCare -- House Insurance and Banking Committee

*House Bill No. 2138 -- Capitol -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2139 -- Tickets, Admission -- House Business and Utilities Committee

*House Bill No. 2140 -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 2141 -- County Officers -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2142 -- Public Funds and Financing -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2143 -- Forfeiture of Assets -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2144 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2145 -- Education -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

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*House Bill No. 2146 -- Historical Sites and Preservation -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2147 -- Culture and Arts -- House Business and Utilities Committee

*House Bill No. 2148 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2149 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

*House Bill No. 2150 -- Professions and Occupations -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2151 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2152 -- Optometry -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2153 -- Food and Food Products -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2154 -- Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2155 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

*House Bill No. 2156 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2157 -- Notary Public -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2158 -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2159 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2160 -- Liens -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2161 -- Industrial Development -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2162 -- Public Defenders -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2163 -- Sentencing -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2164 -- Education, Curriculum -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

House Bill No. 2165 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2166 -- Surplus Property -- House State Government Committee 2999

- *House Bill No. 2167 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2168 -- Water Pollution -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee
- *House Bill No. 2169 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance -- House State Government Committee
- **House Bill No. 2170** -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee
- *House Bill No. 2171 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2172 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2173 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2174 -- Education, Curriculum -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2175 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee
 - House Bill No. 2176 -- Appropriations -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2177 -- Driver Licenses -- House Transportation Committee
- **House Bill No. 2178** -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee
- **House Bill No. 2179** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- House Insurance and Banking Committee
 - House Bill No. 2180 -- Public Health -- House Health Committee
 - House Bill No. 2181 -- Probation and Parole -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- **House Bill No. 2182** -- Parks, Natural Areas Preservation -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee
- *House Bill No. 2183 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2184 -- Judges and Chancellors -- House Civil Justice Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2185 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2186 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2187 -- Criminal Procedure -- House Criminal Justice Committee

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*House Bill No. 2188 -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2189 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2190 -- Controlled Substances -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2191 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2192 -- Arrests -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2193 -- Children's Services, Dept. of -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2194 -- Child Custody and Support -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2195 -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2196 -- Board of Regents -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2197 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2198 -- Education, Higher -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2199 -- Courts, General Sessions -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2200 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2201 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2202 -- Courts, General Sessions -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2203 -- Education -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

House Bill No. 2204 -- Education -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

House Bill No. 2205 -- Schools, Charter -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

*House Bill No. 2206 -- Highway Signs -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2207 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

*House Bill No. 2208 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- House Civil Justice Committee 3001

House Bill No. 2209 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2210 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2211 -- Traffic Safety -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2212 -- Real Property -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 2213 -- Public Records -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2214 -- Driver Licenses -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2215 -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2216 -- Industrial Development -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2217 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2218 -- Holidays and Days of Special Observance -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2219 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2220 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee

*House Bill No. 2221 -- Drugs, Prescription -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2222 -- Public Funds and Financing -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2223 -- Fiscal Review Committee -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2224 -- Child Abuse -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2225 -- Attorney General and Reporter -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2226 -- Juvenile Offenders -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2227 -- General Assembly -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2228 -- Children's Services, Dept. of -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2229 -- Food and Food Products -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

*House Bill No. 2230 -- Education, Higher -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

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House Bill No. 2231 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2232 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2233 -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- House Business and Utilities Committee

*House Bill No. 2234 -- Census -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2235 -- Museums -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2236 -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2237 -- Correction, Dept. of -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2238 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

House Bill No. 2239 -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2240 -- Health, Dept. of -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2241 -- Forests and Forest Products -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2242 -- Railroads -- House Transportation Committee

House Bill No. 2243 -- Credit, Consumer -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2244 -- Human Rights Commission -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2245 -- Wine & Wineries -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2246 -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2247 -- Education -- House Education Instruction & Programs Committee

*House Bill No. 2248 -- Professions and Occupations -- House Business and Utilities Committee

House Bill No. 2249 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2250 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2251 -- TennCare -- House Health Committee 3003

- *House Bill No. 2252 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee
- *House Bill No. 2253 -- Telecommunications -- House Business and Utilities Committee
- *House Bill No. 2254 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2255 -- Sexual Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- House Bill No. 2256 -- Criminal Offenses -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2257 -- Physicians and Surgeons -- House Health Committee
- *House Bill No. 2258 -- Tort Liability and Reform -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2259 -- Remedies and Special Proceedings -- House Civil Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2260 -- Architects, Engineers and Designers -- House Business and Utilities Committee
- *House Bill No. 2261 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- House Insurance and Banking Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2262 -- Birth Control -- House Health Committee
- **House Bill No. 2263** -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- House Insurance and Banking Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2264 -- Taxes -- House Government Operations Committee
 - House Bill No. 2265 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2266 -- Zoning -- House Local Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2267 -- Health Care -- House Health Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2268 -- Industrial Development -- House Local Government Committee
- *House Bill No. 2269 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- House Insurance and Banking Committee
- **House Bill No. 2270** -- Finance and Administration, Dept. of -- House State Government Committee
 - *House Bill No. 2271 -- Juvenile Offenders -- House Criminal Justice Committee
- *House Bill No. 2272 -- Local Education Agencies -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee
- *House Bill No. 2273 -- Gas, Petroleum Products, Volatile Oils -- House Business and Utilities Committee

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*House Bill No. 2274 -- Taxes -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

House Bill No. 2275 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2276 -- Courts, General Sessions -- House Civil Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2277 -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2278 -- Unclaimed Property -- House Business and Utilities Committee

*House Bill No. 2279 -- Telecommunications -- House Business and Utilities Committee

*House Bill No. 2280 -- Beer -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2281 -- Courts, Juvenile -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2282 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- House Insurance and Banking Committee

House Bill No. 2283 -- Nurses, Nursing -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2284 -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2285 -- Boards and Commissions -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2286 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2287 -- Public Records -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2288 -- Veterinarians -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2289 -- Education -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

House Bill No. 2290 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

*House Bill No. 2291 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2292 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2293 -- Uniform Commercial Code -- House Insurance and Banking Committee

House Bill No. 2294 -- Local Government, General -- House Local Government Committee

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House Bill No. 2295 -- Special License Plates -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2296 -- Safety -- House Health Committee

House Bill No. 2297 -- Interstate Compacts -- House Business and Utilities Committee

*House Bill No. 2298 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2299 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies -- House Insurance and Banking Committee

House Bill No. 2300 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2301 -- Tort Liability and Reform -- House Civil Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2302 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2303 -- Education, Dept. of -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2304 -- Workers Compensation -- House Consumer and Human Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2305 -- Taxes, Sales -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

House Bill No. 2306 -- Election Laws -- House Local Government Committee

House Bill No. 2307 -- Short Term Loans and Lenders -- House Insurance and Banking Committee

House Bill No. 2308 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2309 -- Law Enforcement -- House Criminal Justice Committee

House Bill No. 2310 -- Taxes -- House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

House Bill No. 2311 -- Tennessee Higher Education Commission -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2312 -- Public Officials -- House State Government Committee

*House Bill No. 2313 -- Water Pollution -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2314 -- District Attorneys -- House Criminal Justice Committee

*House Bill No. 2315 -- Immigration -- House State Government Committee

House Bill No. 2316 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- House State Government Committee

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*House Bill No. 2317 -- Water Pollution -- House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee

House Bill No. 2318 -- Public Funds and Financing -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2319 -- Motor Vehicles -- House Transportation Committee

*House Bill No. 2320 -- Schools, Home -- House Education Administration & Planning Committee

*House Bill No. 2321 -- Medical Occupations -- House Health Committee

CONSENT CALENDAR

House Resolution No. 195 -- Memorials, Recognition - Randy Ashby. by *Pitts.

House Joint Resolution No. 727 -- Memorials, Recognition - Manassas High School Alumni Association. by *Cooper, *Coley, *Staples, *Akbari, *Towns.

House Joint Resolution No. 731 -- Memorials, Recognition - Second Lieutenant Albert Louis Young of the Tuskegee Airmen. by *Hardaway, *DeBerry, *Camper, *Turner, *Staples, *Miller, *Favors, *Shaw, *Akbari, *Towns, *Cooper, *Gilmore, *Love, *Ragan, *Windle.

House Joint Resolution No. 733 -- Memorials, Death - O.A. Richardson. by *Doss.

House Joint Resolution No. 735 -- Memorials, Retirement - Ed Cromer. by *Harwell.

House Joint Resolution No. 736 -- Memorials, Death - E. Claude Gardner. by *Harwell, *McDaniel, *DeBerry.

House Joint Resolution No. 737 -- Memorials, Death - Dr. David Millhorn. by *Harwell.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 517 -- Memorials, Retirement - Don Odom. by *Ketron.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 522 -- Memorials, Recognition - Cocke County, Governor's ThreeStar Award. by *Southerland.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 523 -- Memorials, Recognition - William T. "Bill" Hale, Joe Q. Dougherty Volunteer of the Year Award. by *Southerland.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 524 -- Memorials, Retirement - Police Chief Terry Cannon, Greeneville Police Department. by *Southerland.

OBJECTION--CONSENT CALENDAR

Objection was filed to the following on the Consent Calendar:

House Joint Resolution No. 727: by Rep. Cooper

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Under the rules, House Joint Resolution No. 727, was placed at the heel of the calendar for February 7, 2018.

Rep. H. Brooks moved that all members voting aye on House Joint Resolution No. 737 be added as co-prime sponsors with the Knox County delegation listed first, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Butt, Holt and Ragan.

Rep. Fitzhugh moved that all members voting aye on House Joint Resolution No. 735 be added as co-prime sponsors, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Butt, Holt and Ragan.

Rep. Sparks moved that the Rutherford County delegation be added as co-prime sponsors on Senate Joint Resolution No. 517, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Butt, Holt and Ragan.

Rep. Hardaway moved that all members voting aye on House Joint Resolution No. 731 be added as co-prime sponsors with the Shelby County delegation listed first, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Butt, Holt and Ragan.

Rep. McDaniel moved that all members voting aye on House Joint Resolution No. 736 be added as co-prime sponsors, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Butt, Holt and Ragan.

Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Dunn moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	0
Present and not voting	

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 96

Representatives present and not voting were: Jones, Sexton J. -- 2

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

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REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "present and not voting" to "aye" on **Consent Calendar** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. J. Sexton.

REGULAR CALENDAR

House Bill No. 15 -- Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, exempts from sales tax, registration fee, and motor vehicle privilege tax, any motor vehicle sold to a veteran or service member who has a service-connected disability and who is eligible for a United States department of veterans affairs automobile grant under the Disabled Veterans' and Servicemen's Automobile Assistance Act of 1970. - Amends TCA Section 5-8-102; Title 55, Chapter 4 and Title 67, Chapter 6. by *Goins. (*SB10 by *Green, *Crowe)

Rep. Goins moved that House Bill No. 15 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Sargent moved adoption of Finance, Ways & Means Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 15 by deleting Section 1 of the bill as amended and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 67-6-353, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding the following new subsection (b):

(b) There is exempt from this chapter any sales and use tax upon a new or used motor vehicle that is sold, given, or donated to a veteran or active-duty service member of the armed services who has a service-connected disability as described in 38 U.S.C. § 3901 and who receives a grant from the United States department of veterans affairs, pursuant to 38 U.S.C. §§ 3901-3904, that is used to provide or assist in providing the vehicle to the veteran or service member; provided, that the exemption shall only apply to the portion of the price of the vehicle that is in excess of the amount of the grant received.

On motion, Finance, Ways & Means Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Goins moved that **House Bill No. 15**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	98
Noes	C

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant,

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Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 98

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 1501 -- Comptroller, State - As introduced, revises various provisions governing comptroller of the treasury audit and accounting requirements, including the preparation of a uniform audit manual by the comptroller. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 10; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 49; Title 54; Title 64 and Title 68. by *Crawford. (SB1696 by *Lundberg)

Rep. Crawford moved that **House Bill No. 1501** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	98
Noes	C

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 98

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 222 -- Driver Licenses - As introduced, requires the department of safety to print the language "NON U.S. CITIZEN" or "ALIEN" on driver licenses, permits, or other forms of identification issued or renewed for a temporary period to persons who are not United States citizens and not lawful permanent residents of the United States. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Ragan. (SB272 by *Pody, *Bowling)

Rep. Ragan moved that House Bill No. 222 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Doss moved that Transportation Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Sargent moved adoption of Finance, Ways & Means Committee Amendment No. 1, as House Amendment No. 2, as follows:

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Amendment No. 2

AMEND House Bill No. 222 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-321, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection:

(i)

- (1) Any person presenting a driver license from a state that issues driver licenses to illegal aliens for the purposes of obtaining a Tennessee driver license shall be required to establish proof of United States citizenship, lawful permanent resident status, or, in the case of a temporary driver license, a specified period of authorized stay in the United States.
- (2) The department is authorized to promulgate rules necessary to effectuate this subsection (i) in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5. The department is also authorized to utilize any process to comply with any rules and regulations, exemptions, and policies promulgated by the United States secretary of homeland security or other state or federal agency.
- SECTION 2. For the purpose of promulgating rules, forms, and procedures and making necessary provisions for implementation of this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Finance, Ways & Means Committee Amendment No. 1, as House Amendment No. 2, was adopted.

Rep. Casada moved the previous question, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	72
Noes	25

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Carr, Carter, Casada, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Forgety, Gant, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Moody, Moon, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Sherrell, Terry, Tillis, Travis, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 72

Representatives voting no were: Akbari, Beck, Camper, Clemmons, Cooper, DeBerry, Favors, Fitzhugh, Gilmore, Hardaway, Jernigan, Jones, Love, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Shaw, Smith, Staples, Stewart, Thompson, Towns, Turner -- 25

Rep. Ragan moved that **House Bill No. 222**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	78
Noes	20

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Carr, Carter, Casada, Coley, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Moody, Moon, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Terry, Tillis, Travis, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 78

Representatives voting no were: Akbari, Beck, Camper, Clemmons, Cooper, DeBerry, Gilmore, Hardaway, Jones, Love, Mitchell, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Shaw, Staples, Stewart, Thompson, Towns, Turner -- 20

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "no" to "aye" on **House Bill No. 222** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. Shaw.

REGULAR CALENDAR, CONTINUED

House Bill No. 1559 -- Sunset Laws - As introduced, extends the Tennessee fish and wildlife commission for four years to June 30, 2022. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 70, Chapter 1, Part 2. by *Faison. (*SB1561 by *Bell)

On motion, House Bill No. 1559 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 1561**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Faison moved that **Senate Bill No. 1561** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	98
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, 3012

Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 98

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 298 -- Taxes - As introduced, exempts methanol from gasoline and petroleum taxes when not blended or composed of other motor fuels. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 54; Title 55 and Title 67. by *Windle, *Keisling. (SB692 by *Yager)

Rep. Windle moved that House Bill No. 298 be reset for the Regular Calendar on February 12, 2018, which motion prevailed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Williams moved that the rules be suspended for the immediate consideration of Senate Joint Resolution No. 538 out of order, which motion prevailed.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 538 -- Memorials, Public Service - Dr. Scott Standard. by *Dickerson.

On motion of Rep. Williams, the resolution was concurred in.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

BILLS WITHDRAWN

On motion of Rep. Forgety, House Bill No. 2449 was withdrawn from the House.

On motion of Rep. Pitts, **House Bill No. 2151** was recalled from the Education Administration and Planning Committee and withdrawn from the House.

On motion of Rep. Pitts, **House Bill No. 19** was withdrawn from the House.

On motion of Rep. Love, **House Bill No. 2286** was recalled from the Education Administration and Planning Committee and withdrawn from the House.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. Casada moved that the rules be suspended in order to allow **House Bill No. 2317** to be heard in the Agriculture and Natural Resources Subcommittee this week, which motion prevailed.

BILLS WITHDRAWN

On motion of Rep. Cooper, **House Joint Resolution No. 727** was withdrawn from the House.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Bill No. 1474 Rep. Carr as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1480 Rep. Lamberth as First prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1526 Reps. Gravitt and Crawford as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1532 Reps. K. Brooks, Howell, Coley, Williams, Travis, Matlock, Reedy and Gant as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1549 Rep. Williams as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1773 Reps. Byrd, Hazlewood and McCormick as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2034 Reps. Hazlewood, McCormick, Carter, Rogers, Alexander, Byrd, Camper, Moon, Ragan, Reedy, Van Huss, Lollar, Forgety, Parkinson, Pitts, Beck, Favors, Whitson, Thompson and Windle as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 2052 Rep. Lamberth as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2065 Rep. Lamberth as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2184 Rep. Harwell as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2202 Rep. Lamberth as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2387 Rep. Casada as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2429 Rep. Staples as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2451 Rep. Byrd as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2604 Rep. Travis as prime sponsor.

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House Bill No. 2661 Rep. Staples as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2691 Rep. Alexander as First prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 2692 Rep. Alexander as First prime sponsor.

SPONSORS REMOVED

On Motion, Rep. Dunn was removed as sponsor of **House Bill No. 1480**.

On Motion, Rep. Hicks was removed as sponsor of House Bill No. 2052.

On Motion, Rep. Vaughan was removed as sponsor of House Bill No. 2065.

On Motion, Rep. T. Hill was removed as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2202**.

On Motion, Rep. Weaver was removed as sponsor of House Bill No. 2691.

On Motion, Rep. Weaver was removed as sponsor of **House Bill No. 2692**.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR February 5, 2018

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 636, 637, 638, 639, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654 and 656; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:
Present98

Representatives present were Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Boyd, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Cooper, Crawford, Curcio, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunn, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gant, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Lollar, Love, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Moon, Parkinson, Pitts, Powell, Powers, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Rudd, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Sherrell, Smith, Sparks, Staples, Stewart, Terry, Thompson, Tillis, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Vaughan, Weaver, White D., White M., Whitson, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Zachary, Madame Speaker Harwell -- 98

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RECESS

On motion of Rep. Casada, the House stood in recess until 9:00~a.m., Wednesday, February 7, 2018.